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TO FORCE INSURGENTS OUTSIDE THE PARTY

Washington, Jan. 10.—The senate committee on public lands today reconvened and amended its resolution providing for the Ballinger Pinchot investigation so as to allow the house to select its membership of committees, instead of having Speaker Cannon appoint it. This action prevents a recurrence of the fight on Cannon in the house. The senate adopted the amended resolution.

Feeling against the 26 insurgent members of the house, who voted to take Cannon's power away from him, is better in organization circles. It is said in the house that Representative Dwight of New York, the Republican whip had taken the names of the so-called insurgent Republican congressmen off the list of representatives to whom he regularly sends notices demanding their attendance at times of divisions of party import.

Some Republicans have been compelled to commit themselves to vote against "Uncle Joe's" reelection as speaker by manifestations of anti-Cannon sentiment in their home district. The action of Representative E. L. Taylor of Columbus, a few days ago, is an example. Still, certain Republicans who have taken this position object to the term insurgent being applied to them. Taylor declares he is no insurgent and so does Representative Rom Johnson of the Tenth Ohio District.

Our Rom Says He's Regular.

The Ironton man defined his attitude in this way tonight:

"I was against Canon for Speaker before the Republican caucus. I voted against what was known as Cannon rules when the vote of General Hollingsworth and my own would have adopted those rules, and anything Speaker Cannon has proposed I have been against, unless he, like other Republicans, was for the measures which President Taft propounded and asked to be enforced.

"So far as Speaker Cannon is concerned, I am against him for Speaker under any circumstances. I think his days of usefulness as a Speaker are over. I do not class myself with the so-called insurgents. Those men, who are standing out as insurgents now, are not Republicans at all. They are against every idea of the Republican party. They are men who have persistently voted against every Republican measure that has been brought up, and they are Populists of the worst type. In my district I think most of the voters are opposed to Cannonism, as it is called."

All sorts of gossip followed the announcement of "Ned" Taylor last week that he would not vote for Mr. Cannon in the caucus next time the Republicans have the chance to elect a speaker. Some had him flopping over unconditionally to the insurgent camp, and there was much chortling among this latter coterie when the news reached their ears.

But Taylor soon dampened this enthusiasm by explaining that in response to the sentiment in his district he could be classed as an anti-Cannon man, though, so far as President Taft was concerned, he would be counted as one of his ardent supporters.

He went farther and said that the vote on the Norris amendment Friday was not a real test of the regular Republicans' strength, but was one of those things that happen occasionally when the "whip" of a party organization is off guard.

Hot Warning To Insurgents.

While the army appropriation bill still engaged the attention of the house today, members manifested far greater interest in the Pinchot-Ballinger situation and the statement issued by the Republican congressional committee openly warning insurgent congressmen they could expect no help from the administration when they came up for reelection. During the next day or so proceedings on the floor of the house promises to be surely routine of a perfunctory character.

RICH MAN DIES IN A RESORT IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Coroner Hoffman will take personal charge of the investigation into the cause of the death of Nathaniel F. Moore, son of James Hobart Moore, leader of the Rock Island group of financiers, who was found dead in a room in a South Side resort, under somewhat mysterious circumstances. He was said to have died some time yesterday afternoon. Moore died of heart disease.

BLACK HAND IS ON TRIAL

Toledo, Jan. 10.—The case case against 14 Sicilians, members of the society of the Banana, an alleged blackhand band of Ohio, was called to trial in the Federal court here.

Judge Taylor quashed the indictments against members of the alleged Black Hand band. A new grand jury will be called at once to re-indict the men.

OHIO GORGED AT PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, Jan. 10.—Bank full of grinding ice, the Allegheny river today presents a big menace to shipping interests should the present cold snap terminate suddenly. The Ohio river at this point is gorged with ice.

AVIATION MEET OPENED MONDAY

Los Angeles, Jan. 10.—A faultless day opened the International Aviation meeting at Dominguez Junction and witnessed the first competitive trials of aeroplanes in America. The first flights were scheduled for one o'clock. All machines were tested early. Glenn H. Curtiss made the first flight, followed probably by Paulhan, Charles K. Hamilton, of New Britain, Conn., and two aviators Pedlino brought from France with him.

JOHN D. JR. IS THE PROBER

New York, Jan. 10.—Syndicate white slavery was taken up by the grand jury today. District Attorney Whitman asked the jury to find indictments against certain individuals who he is satisfied are leaders in the business. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is foreman of the jury.

SUGAR THIEVES SENTENCED

New York, Jan. 10.—Charles Kenny, Edward A. Boyle, Patrick J. Hennessy and John M. Coyle, former employes of the American Sugar Refining company, convicted of underweighing trucks, were sentenced to one year imprisonment in the United States circuit court here.

Before sentencing the men, the court denied a motion for a new trial.

Not Decided Yet.

Will S. Sedards has not as yet fully decided just what business he will engage in, but may open up a drug store and locate here permanently as he likes Portsmouth and thinks there is no other city, quite as good.

HARRY W. MILLER OUT FOR REPRESENTATIVE

An announcement published elsewhere in The Times conveys the interesting news that Attorney Harry W. Miller will be a candidate for the Republican nomination as representative from Scioto county at the primary election to be held next May. Mr. Miller is a member of the law firm of Milner, Miller & Scarl, and has served as city solicitor and prosecuting attorney. He has always been identified with the Clark machine, and it is presumed will have their backing in the coming primary.

Mr. Miller has made a wide acquaintance and should prove a formidable candidate.

FLORIDA LAND DID NOT PLEASE THEM

Phil Emmert, Mr. Geis and Fred King have returned from Jacksonville, Fla., where they were called on a long goose chase through the well worded ads of some Chicago land agents.

These three men were drawn thither by the statements that the land, which could be had for a song, was the most productive in the world, and that within a few years an attentive farmer could make himself independently wealthy. When they arrived there they found the land covered with a scrubby growth of pine and oak, with a few sage bushes here and there. Phil Emmert decided that Scioto county hill land was ten times as productive and, of course, none of the three took the bait—leastwise, they did not swallow the hook. The sand is white and dusty and Phil said it would take all the fertilizer factories in the United States ten years to enrich the soil so a turnip could be "growed." The trio bought no land.

GREENUP BOAT HEARD FROM

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 10.—The wharfboat which was torn loose from the landing at Greenup, Ky., Saturday night, passed Cincinnati early Sunday morning. An attempt was made to rescue the craft by Captain Barney King, of the Hercules Carrel. The wild boat, however, sunk under the ice just after he had caught it and made the tow fast. He attempted to push the half sunken boat to the mouth of the Licking river, but forced to abandon it before this could be done. It passed the pier of the C. & O. bridge in safety and passed on down the river with the ice.

HOG KILLED BY CATAMOUNT

A catamount, rendered desperate by hunger, raided the hog pen at the county infirmary early Monday, partially chewing up a fat porker. John Hall was awakened by the squeals of the hogs and got to the scene in time to save the rest of the porkers.

PORK IS GOING HIGHER

Local meat dealers say that not only has pork advanced in price, but that there will be a farther advance and there is no telling where the price will go to. Veal too, is a very scarce article as on Saturday there was none to be had at any price.

J. G. Sands, the new B. & O. S-W. agent went to Washington, C. H., to spend Sunday with his family. He hopes to move his family here in the near future.

Wants Boy Back Home

Mrs. Alice Johnson of East End phoned in to Chief of Police Davidson Monday morning seeking some advice concerning her boy, Lawrence, aged 16, who left home under mysterious circumstances a few days ago.

Lawrence Johnson is accused of stabbing a man by the name of Sally at the Harbison-Walker brick yards. Sally had been relieved of his job and Johnson put in his place. Becoming incensed over losing his job Sally sought to wreak revenge upon his successor. He choked Johnson almost to insensibility in a fight but Johnson held a knife and awaiting his chance stuck it into a fleshy part of Sally's body. The wound was not a dangerous one.

The mother of Johnson, the missing boy, is anxious to have him brought home to her, as he is her only support. To Chief Davidson she declared that she would gladly pay his fine, if he were apprehended. When last heard of Johnson was at Olive Hill, Ky.

DICK SENDS PETITIONS

Columbus, O., Jan. 10.—That Senator Dick means to make a strong fight to hold his seat in congress was proven beyond a doubt Saturday when he sent out primaries petitions for signatures under the new primary law. Other copies of the petition were no doubt received here and will be in circulation Monday.

Takes Position.

Jno. M. Wendelken has taken a position with the Marting Bros. Co.

Ernest Bloomfield, who has been working on a B. & O. S-W. extra gang, Friday night took a job at the company's round house.

SWEET BAIT FOR INSURGENT PORTSMOUTH

ICE GORGE BREAKS DOES BIG DAMAGE

Louisville, Jan. 10.—A large wharfboat and ferryboat which are supposed to belong to the ferry company at Aurora, Ind., passed Carrollton, Ky., on the Ohio, this morning. It is not known whether any persons are on board.

The ice gorge broke at Hawesville, Ky., today, carrying away several valuable gasoline launches.

Sunday the Rising Sun wharfboat, a ferryboat, a derrickboat and 12 barges, most of them partially loaded with coal, were carried over the falls by a big gorge which broke loose this morning at Grassy Flat, and smaller gorges, which broke above here during the day, involved a loss of $20,000.

An empty barge, believed to have come from Madison, struck an abutment just below Albany and was smashed to splinters.

A barge loaded with coal belonging to the Monongahela company, was torn away from a fleet on the river front at Jeffersonville and carried over the falls. The barge and coal is valued at $3500.

Seven coal barges and a ferryboat were carried over the falls, but escaped damage and passed on down the river in front of the heavy ice.

REILLEY SAYS NOT GUILTY

New York, Jan. 10.—Thomas P. Reilly, special investigator of the interstate commerce commission, pleaded not guilty to a charge of having taken and published without authority a letter written by Attorney General Wickersham bearing on the American Sugar Refining company prosecutions. His bail was fixed at $2000.

Wickersham spoke in the letter of pressure being brought to bear on Taft to stop the sugar trust probing.

Mrs. Martin Giles of West Side has taken a position as cook in the Hempstead hospital.

BODY FOUND IN THE WOODS

Manchester, O., Jan. 10.—Albert Schriber, of this city, aged 25, married, employed in a store at Montgomery, W. Va., disappeared from that place six weeks ago. Sunday his body, showing a fatal bullet wound, was found in a wood three miles from Montgomery.

Schriber had recently appeared in court as a witness against some parties charged with burglary of his employer's store and his life had been threatened.

Byron Schreiber, former Portsmouth tinner, now of Jackson, is a brother of the dead man.

DID NOT CASH THEM CHECKS

Several Chillicothe street merchants are now congratulating themselves because they refused to cash some checks for Harold G. Abbott, the smooth young man who skipped out Saturday. Abbott is a graduate of Dartmouth college instead of Harvard universitiy and is a highly educated man.

LILLIAN IS ACQUITTED

Lillian Bellar, a comely Rardon young lady, was acquitted on a charge of living in adultery with Wayne Patterson, an N. & W. fireman, Mrs. F. A. Webb, being the prosecuting witness. The case was heard by Mayor Kates Friday and a big crowd packed the court room to witness the proceedings.

There was several warm tilts between Attorneys Porter Jackson, for the prosecution, and A. Forsythe, for the defense.

CAN REGULATE COAL CARS

Washington, Jan. 10.—The supreme court of the United States decided the various cases before it involving the power of the interstate commerce commission to regulate the distribution of railroad cars among coal companies, holding the commission had the power, but deciding the various cases on their individual merits.

MISS BRATTON OPERATED ON

Miss Cosetta Bratton, who visited friends here and at Rarden during the holiday vacation, while visiting at Columbus on her way back to Buffalo, where she is attending school, was taken seriously ill with appendicitis and obliged to submit to an operation which was performed at the Protestant hospital. Miss Bratton withstood the ordeal nicely although her condition is very alarming yet.

To Consult Specialist.

Frank Bishop will soon go to Huntington to consult a specialist in regard to one of his eyes which has been giving him some trouble of late.

Install Tonight.

Magnolia lodge No. 390, Knights of Pythias, will install its newly elected officers at the Temple tonight.

ROBBERS RAID BIG RESORT

Pittsburg, Kansas, Jan. 10.—Robber raided a resort known as Turner Hall in the Croberg mining camp, near here this morning, killing two men. Another was wounded. The robbers escaped with $200.

40 YEARS AS A DAIRYMAN

Thomas G. Calvert, the well known dairyman, is celebrating his fortieth anniversary in the dairy business, was engaged Monday in distributing among his friends and customers a neat calendar, upon which is a distinguished looking portrait of himself. At the top of the calendar are the words, "The man who helped to make Portsmouth."

Some practical joker suggested to Mr. Calvert that he affix the word "dry" after the inscription. The words would then read "The man who helped to make Portsmouth dry."

A New Baby.

Cold weather don't bother Gordon Hughes, popular shoeworker of 319 East Tenth street—not much. The reason is that the stork left a fine big girl at his home, Saturday night, and the proud daddy has been hitting the high places ever since.

Got a letter from Bill Taft this a. m. Here it is:

Dear Billy:—Am writin' to tell you that I've at last got Pinchot canned—and if you want his job here's your chance to pinch it. Nothin' to do but sign reports in blank, keep a bucket of fresh kalsomine always ready for Ballinger and draw pay. Wire me.

Yours, BILL.

P. S.—Of course if you should be a Roosevelt or Bryan goat this offer is withdrawn.—B.

Not for me. It will be warm enough here in a few days—look at this:

Ohio, Indiana and West Va. — Fair tonight and Tuesday, warmer.

Rarden Man Hurt In Drunken Row

Irvin Spriggs, a young married man, is lying at his home at Rarden in a precarious condition with several ribs broken and numerous dangerous cuts about his face and scalp, while Owen Black, a teamster and his driver, a man by the name of Plummer, are behind prison bars at that village, the result of a drunken row Sunday afternoon.

Spriggs, the injured man, is also employed as a driver by Black and about noon Sunday went with the two men to a stable on the Abbott farm, where Black houses his teams. The men began drinking and it is alleged the two men now under arrest brutally assaulted Spriggs, using clubs as weapons, leaving their helpless victim lying in the barn, where he was found some hours later by a member of the Abbott family.

Spriggs was unconscious when found and very weak on account of loss of blood from his wounds. Dr. Foster was summoned and he pronounced the man's injuries as very serious.

When he became conscious several hours later, Spriggs stated he did not know how he was injured, his mind being blank from the time he commenced drinking.

Marshal John Odle and Deputy Ben Johnson, upon learning of the trouble took Black and Plummer into custody. Charges of unlawfully furnishing intoxicating liquor and drunkenness have been lodged against the men, who are being held and may be called upon to face a charge of murder in Mayor Kates' court.

The two prisoners are from Brookville, Ky., and have been at Rarden for some time, where Black has the contract of logging the Mustard tract of timber for the Winchester Lumber Co. Black is considered a bad man by the people at Rarden, many of whom he has threatened to kill during his almost continuous drunken carousals since going there.

DICK FORCES FIGHT FOR SENATOR

Columbus, O., Jan. 10.—United States Senator Charles Dick is now officially a candidate to succeed himself in the senate. Today Secretary of State Thompson, as chief supervisor of elections, received a petition nominating Dick for senator, signed by neighbors of Dick in Akron. Other petitions will follow and Dick's name will go before the Republican voters at the May primary.

In the face of Dick's activity comes word that Senator Burton, George B. Cox, Walter Brown, of Toledo, and Charles P. Taft, who boss the Republican state machine, have agreed that there shall be no senatorial primary and that they will prevent names from going on the ballot.

Heinie Proud Of That Boy

Heinie Bush, employed at the terminals, states that his son and heir, which arrived at his home the other day, is the making of the finest shortstop in the country. He expects to call him Oscar, after the famous shortstop of the Detroit Tigers. The little fellow is almost as large as his illustrious namesake and has all the requisites to develop into a wonderful base runner, steady fielder and heavy hitter.

Many Attend Bible Class

The attendance at the Trinity church Men's Bible class Sunday was large, but it is expected that next Sunday it will be considerably larger. L. W. Bragdon leads the singing which is very good. Prof. J. H. Finney is the teacher in charge.

Are to Be Rewarded

Next Sunday, all scholars at Trinity church Sunday school who were in attendance every Sunday during the past year, will receive a present of a book or some token. There are quite a few who will receive presents.

To Join Her Daughter

Mrs. Margaret Leinnan will leave Tuesday for Mobile, Ala., where her daughter, Mrs. Edward Welsh, recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. She stood the operation well and her chances for recovery are splendid.

Ex-Resident Is A Visitor

Charles Warman, at one time engaged in the hardware business on Gallia street, this city, but who is now located at Fort Worth, Texas, where he is the head of a large hardware concern, is in the city the guest of friends and relatives.

NO MONEY FOR MORE POLICE

All hopes of an increase of the city police force vanished with the meeting of the finance committee of the new city council Sunday afternoon.

The committee was at first disposed to make provisions for the several more men asked for by Mayor Scarce in his annual message to council, but after outlining the appropriations for the various departments, reached the conclusion that there would not be sufficient funds for the other purposes and the present limited force will have to stand.

Timothy Jewett Donates Coal

Timothy Jewett, a well known Cedar mill and stave dealer, on Monday donated two bushels of coal to Mayor Scarce's poor relief fund. Contractor Frank Seymour also donated the services of two teams and drivers for hauling coal among the poor of the city.

During This Great Combined

January Clearance and Removal Sale

Every Department in This Store Has Surprises in The Way of Unprecedented Low Prices!

YES! WE'VE SURPRISED THE MOST ENTHUSIASTIC FRIENDS OF THIS STORE WITH OUR GREAT VALUE GIVING AT THIS COMBINED SALE. TWO MAMMOTH SALES WELDED INTO AN EXTENSIVE FEAST OF HIGH GRADE MERCHANDISE AT SAVINGS GREATER THAN EVER BEFORE. STOCKS MUST BE REDUCED TO A LOWER LEVEL THAN EVER BEFORE IN ORDER TO MOVE MORE EASILY AND QUICKLY, AND TO REACH THIS POINT WE HAVE CUT PRICES TO THE LOWEST LEVEL EVER KNOWN. YOU TOO ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS WONDERFUL SALE SO FULL OF SURPRISES IN THE WAY OF LOW PRICE OFFERINGS.

A Few Surprises in The Garment Section

Each one well tailored and best materials.

Black Broadcloth Coats, Coverts, Novelties, Cravenettes and Silk Coats, all reduced.

$10.00 ones for ...$7.98	$20.00 ones for....$14.98
$12.50 ones for...$9.98	$25.00 ones for...$18.98
$15.00 ones for..$10.98	$35.00 ones for....$19.98
$18.00 ones for...$12.98	$45.00 ones for....$24.98

You never made selections from a better assortment of better made garments.

ALL THESE NEW ONE PIECE DRESSES REDUCED.

Its an easy matter to get one at a little price.

$10.00 ones for $7.98	$18.00 ones for ... $12.98
$12.50 ones for $9.98	$20.00 ones for ... $14.98
$15.00 ones for $10.98	$25.00 ones for ... $18.98

This Big Assrtment of Children's Costs

All reduced in price to reduce quantity.

$2 and $2.50 ones ...$1.49	$5 and $5.75 ones ...$3.98
$3 and $3.50 ones...$2.29	$6 and $6.50 ones...$4.98
$4 and $4.50 ones ...$2.98	$7.50 and $8.50 .....$5.98

EVERY FUR SCARF, MUFF, ETC., REDUCED.

To a low level. Come and see them.

$4.00 values for $2.98	$12.50 values for ... $9.98
$5.00 values for $3.98	$15.00 values for...$12.49
$7.50 values for $5.98	$20.00 values for ..$16.49
$10.00 values for... $7.98	$25.00 values for . $19.98

A FEW INFANTS COATS. SIZE 2 TO 5 YEARS.

Reduced to a very low level.

One lot of Red Eiderdowns for only ..... 29c yd

One lot of $2.25 Gray and Brown Astrachan Coats go at only ..... 98c each

A few $3.00 Bearskin Coats for only $1.49

One lot of $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50 Silk Petticoats go at ..... $3.98 each

Black, Colored Taffetas Stripes, Brocades and all the latest colors in this lot.

Underwear and Hosiery

Gowns, etc., at a saving of ¼ to ½ this week.

Ladies' Hosiery at money saving prices.

25c Wool Hose 19c	25c Lace Lisle Hose ..19c
25c Fleeced Hose 19c	35c Lisle Hose for....27c
35c Fleeced Hose 27c	50c Tan Wool Hose...39c
25c Lisle Hose 19c	25c Split Sole Hose .. 19c

Children's 25c Fleeced Lined Hose, all sizes ...19c
Children's 35c Wool Hose 25c
Children's 40c and 45c Wool Hose 29c
Infants 15c Wool Hose 10c
Infants 15c Fleeced Hose 10c

Ladies' and Childrens Outing Gowns Reduced

Every one must go. Each one well made to fit perfectly.

50c ones for 39c	$1.25 ones for 98c
75c ones for 59c	$1.50 ones for $1.19

Ladies' and Man's Underwear

Come before your size is gone. Its here now.

Men's Jersey Ribbed 50c quality for only 39c
Men's Heavy Fleeced 50c quality for only 39c
Men's Astrachan Wool, $1.00 quality for 79c
Ladies' Gray Wool two piece Suits, $1.00 for...79c
Ladies' 30c Cream Cotton Vests for 19c

Children's full assortment of Jersey Ribbed at little prices.

All Children's Velvet Silks, Bearskin, etc., Caps, Bonnets and Hats go at half price.

Children's 25c Knit Sleeping Garments for 19c
Children's Felt Bonnets go at ½ regular price.

This weather makes heavy Bedding feel very comfortable. Are you supplied Come and save money on your needs.

11-4 85c Cotton Blankets go at only ..... 69c pr
11-4 $1.00 quality Extra Blankets for ..... 79c pr
$1.50 Wolverine Blanket for only $1.35
$1.75 Wolverine Blanket for only $1.49
$2.50 Wolverine Blanket for only $1.98
$3.00 Wool Finished Plaid Blanket $2.29
$1.00 Cotton Filled Silkoline Comfort 89c
$1.50 Cotton Filled Silkoline Comfort $1.29
$2.00 Cotton Filled Silkoline Comfort $1.49
$2.50 Cotton Filled Silkoline Comfort $1.48

Beautiful and Good Quality Dress Goods

At prices that are astonishingly low.

$1.25 Broadcloths in a good line of shades.....98c
$1.50 Broadcloths in a good line of shades....$1.19
$2.00 Broadcloth in a good line of shades $1.49
40c and 50c fancy Wool Waistings for 29c
75c Fancy Wool Waistings for 49c

5 Piece Fancy Plaids, 44 inches wide, worth $1.00 and $1.25 go at only 49c

$1.50 wide Chevrons in Blue, Green and Brown to close out at 98c

$1.25 Herringbone Chevrons in Blue and Brown only, go at ..... 89c yd

Domestics, Wash Goods, Etc., Reduced

Supply future wants at those little prices.

9c Bleached Muslin for only 7½c
6½c Unbleached Muslin for only 5c
Remnants, Dress Gingham for only 5c
Good Apron Ginghams for only ..... 6c yd
New Patterns in Shirting Madras 12½c
12½c Percales in a good line of patterns 9c
25c Shimmer Silk for only 15c
12½c and 15c Fancy Satteens for only 10c
25c Stripe Poplin in all colors for 19c
25c Fancy Soisettes for only 19c
18c and 20c Serpentine Crepe for 15c
Best Galatia Cloth for only 15c
6½c and 7c Dark and Light Outing for 4½c
$2.50 Gray Astrachan for only $1.49
12½c Bleached Crash, Red Berlin.
Special All Linen Napkins at ..... $1.49 doz

The Marting Bros. Company

OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE COR. SIXTH AND CHILLICOTHE STS.

"ROM" SAW TAFT FOR MR. FENTON

A Washington dispatch says that Congressman Johnson is in earnest in pushing the candidacy of Lucien J. Fenton for pension agent in the Columbus district, mention of which was made in Saturday's Times. Mr. Johnson personally called at the White House Saturday to impress the virtues of Fenton upon the president. Col. W. T. Currie, another candidate, has been endorsed by Senator Dick, while Gen. Warnock, the present agent, hopes to succeed himself.

It is said there was a rattling of armor and a shaking of dry bones when the news of Rom's resurrection of Fenton reached there. Fenton lives in Winchester, the home of H. H. Meehlin, who is supposed to be the overlord of Adams Republicans, and his reappearance will mean a desperate struggle. It may be, however, that "Rom" is just parading the Fenton person in his grave clothes as a sort of bugle man to frighten Meehlin into being good.

Time—and very short time at that—will tell. Of course, Fenton is not supposed to have a ghost of a chance of landing the pension job. Probably he doesn't expect or want it. The mere fact of being mentioned may sort of bring up pleasant recollections to L. J. of the greatness that was his and spur him on to battle.

Switzer Out For Circuit Judge

The Gallipolis Tribune says:

"A little bird whispers to us that the Hon. Robert M. Switzer is to have the backing of the Hon. Rom Johnson and as much of the Tenth District as he can swing by the tail, for judge of the circuit court.

"Mr. Johnson owes Mr. Switzer all that and more, for Mr. Switzer declined powerful political support that in all human probability would have nominated him for congress, at the time Johnson was chosen, and did it generously in Johnson's behalf.

"Incidentally it may be remarked that several candidates for circuit judge have been named who do not measure up to Mr. Switzer in qualifications for the office."

TOWBOAT CRASHES INTO KENOVA BRIDGE PIER

The tow boat Alice Brown, belonging to the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal Company, with a tow of 25,000 bushels of coal was disabled above the Kenova bridge Saturday night about 7 o'clock, and as a result lost two barges of coal by their coming in contact with the piers of the Kenova bridge. One of the steering cables snapped and by some means got caught in the engine breaking a cam, which disabled the boat on one side. The pilot was unable to control the boat owing to the accident and had to rest to buck until the repairs could be made. As the boat passed the Kenova bridge two barges struck a pier and a "model" and a regular coal barge were sunk. The boat drifted on down the river and as it passed Ashland, the captain called through a megaphone to the man on the wharfboat something about the boat being disabled and to telegraph to Capt. Mange, the company's representative in Cincinnati. Owing to the noise being made by a passing freight train, all that captain said could not be understood.

Repairs were made temporarily on the boat and she managed to get under steam after passing Ironton.

These Figures Tell The Tale

Time after time have the citizens of this city been advised to patronize home industry and buy from home merchants. It not only helps the merchant but it helps the purchaser, for it keeps the working capital at home. Foreign concerns drop into our city, open up for three or four months, sell a lot of inferior goods at a high price for the goods offered, pocket the money and leave town. The money they take away is lost to the city forever.

In this connection, it is said, representatives of a foreign concern are in the city offering great inducements to the people on a profit sharing plan. It seems that persons are solicited to a certain number and are then called a class. When a class is formed another is started. Each member of a class pays 50 cents initiation and then 25 cents weekly thereafter with one member of the class each week receiving as a premium a piece of merchandise, valued to him at $4.50, and then dropping out of the [illegible] paying no more. Now, on this proposition, taking 46 members as a basis, all paying the 50 cents initiation and all paying 25 cents for the first week and one dropping out each week thereafter, until there is left, who has paid in $11.50, the total amount received by the company for this class of 46 would be $293.25. This foreign concern promises to give to the 46 people a piece of merchandise valued at $11.50, as their turn comes, or a total to the class of $529.00.

It must also be remembered that the foreign company out of the receipts of $293.25 must pay the expenses of soliciting and collecting, the expenses and freight on merchandise which under ordinary circumstances would amount to about [illegible] leaving net receipts of $[illegible].

It is plain to be seen it is [illegible] a very inferior article, [illegible] they say is valued from [illegible] at $11.50. If you figure [illegible] way the concern has [illegible] or 200 per cent profit on the article it delivers to play crem. That means the member is getting an article really worth about $3.

But here is further a most interesting point, if we understand the plan aright, and that is the members of the club do not know each other. He puts the whole game in the hands of entire strangers, and he does not know how he is being treated. He has got to take the word of the stranger for it, he who is here today and yonder tomorrow.

This kind of a scheme seems also unlawful in its operation, as it is purely a game of chance, because the person receiving the first premium and dropping out is better off than the one receiving the last premium, notwithstanding ALL receive a premium. This looks like a violation of section 6831, Revised Statutes of Ohio which is as follows:

"Whoever, publicly or privately, as owner or agent, establishes, opens, sets on foot, carries on, promotes, makes, draws, or acts as 'backer' or 'vender' for or on account of, or is in anyway concerned in, any lottery, 'policy' or scheme of chance, of any kind or description, by whatever name, style, or title, the same may be denominated or known, whether local, or to be drawn, paid or carried on within or without this state, or by any of the means aforesaid exposes or sets to sale anything of value, shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars nor less than fifty dollars, and imprisoned not more than ninety days nor less than ten days."

Again, citizens of Portsmouth, you are advised to purchase your goods from the merchants of the city, who sell you merchandise and give you value received, who are here to stay and to make good your purchases, who sell you goods as reasonable or more so than you can purchase elsewhere, who credit you when you need it, who help you pay your taxes, who help support the various institutions of the city, who stand ready to cheerfully donate their time and money in times of calamity, who help secure improvements of the city, who try to please you when you drop in their store, who offer you the best in their line, and who are glad to do anything for the good of Portsmouth and Scioto county.

DAN TO SWAT O. B. GOULD

Sunday's Enquirer said that Senator Dan Webster Williams was going to swat Orrin B. Gould when his name came up before the senate for confirmation as a member of the board of managers of the Ohio penitentiary. Dan Webster is trying to line up enough votes to defeat the confirmation, but to date is said to be sure of only one—his own.

Uncle Charley To Get Place

A Washington dispatch says that President Taft is going to appoint Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor, who used to be tolerably well known in these parts, as a member of the Chickamaugan park commission at $2500 per year salary.

Deposits Were Much Bigger

In the current number of the "American Issue" the First National bank of this city is reported as saying the bank deposits during the year 1909 were $100,000 in excess of what they were in 1908.

Collecting Road Taxes

Constable Wolfe is busily engaged these cold days in collecting road tax from the land owners in Clay township, and he finds it quite strenuous work, necessitating long walks through snowdrifts and bad roads.

Canary Back Home.

Charley Canary has returned from Celina. He is making his home with his aunt, Mrs. Lara Heid of 17 East Fourteenth street.

OFFICERS OF SOCIALISTS

The Socialist Comrades held a meeting at Harugari hall Sunday afternoon and elected as officers for the present year: John Bieneweald, secretary; J. C. Maurer, treasurer; W. F. Dodge, organizer; E. L. Wilson literature agent.

The above including E. J. Ziegler, who was elected chairman, constitute the executive committee.

A number of addresses were made at the meeting which was a largely attended one and quite enthusiastic. The local has more members and is in better condition financially than it has been in several years.

Fred Likes Pasadena

Fred Winter, who recently returned from a four months' pleasure trip through the west, says that he has been in most of the principal cities of both the East and West and in all his travels there were no city to compare in beauty with Pasadena, California.

DRUG MEN HAD TO SHOW UP

Judge Blair was calling on local druggists Saturday securing statements from them as to the amount of whisky they had bought during the past year. He wanted, he said, correct statements as he had secured the figures from the Express company's books, and wanted to compare them.

Display Room Was Closed

The West End Business Association has closed its display room that has been open for the past two months. No decision has been arrived at with reference to repeating the carnivals held during the past fall.

Rubber boots at Lehman's.

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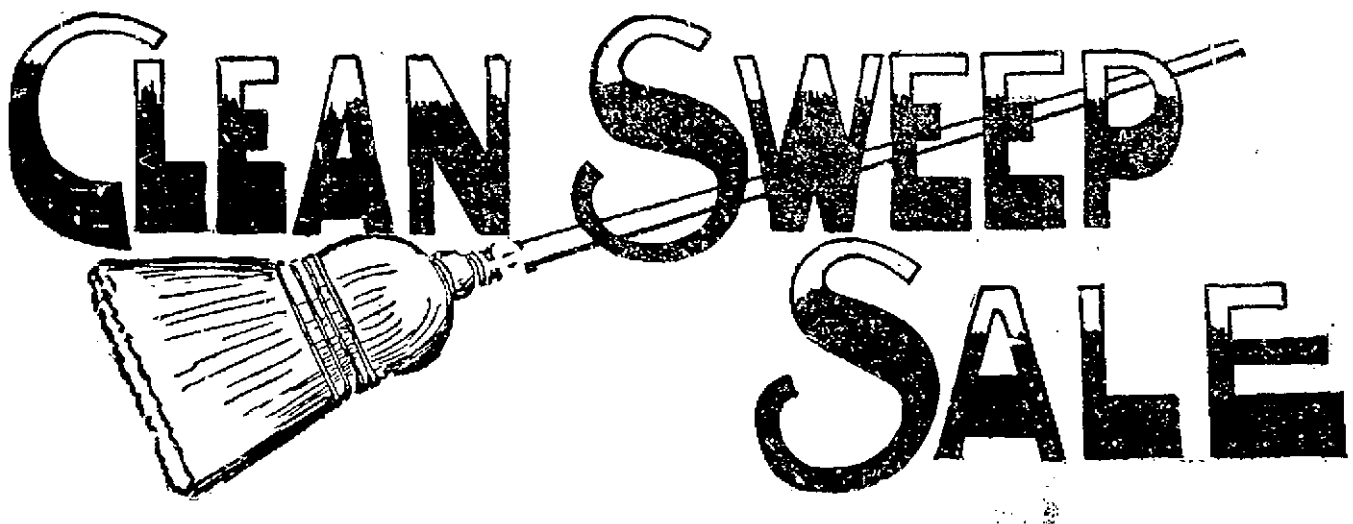

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Worth 25c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Men's Fine Hemstitched fast colored bordered Handkerchiefs.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
4c,
Worth 15c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Children's latest style Caps, all colors, including red.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
19c,
Worth 50c and 75c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts, double sewed.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
21c,
Worth 50c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Ladies' Fine Umbrellas, good material, fine handles.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
89c,
Worth $2.50.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
3c
Worth 10c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Boys' Corduroy Pants. Every seam taped.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
19c
Worth 50c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Bear Skin Taps, also leather and wool.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
19c
Worth 50c and 75c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Men's Shoes, all leather on the new high toe last, perforated tip.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
$1.94
Worth $3.00.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Men's new striped Silk Four-in-Hands, selected from our holiday stock.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
19c
Worth 50c.

EXTRA SPECIAL
Boys' Red Top Coats, ages 8 to 8. Pure Wool.
Clean Sweep Sale Price
$2.39,
Worth $5.00.

Men's Best Working Shirts, all made full, 36 inches long, worth 50c. Sale price 39c

Men's Dress Shirts worth 75c, all this season's newest patterns Sale price 39c

Men's Crown Brand 75c Overalls, union made. Sale price..48c

Men's 25c Bow Ties, all Silk covered shields. Sale price 5c

Men's Fancy Hose worth 15c. Sale price 7½c

A big lot of Men's Suits and Overcoats worth $10.00. Sale Price $3.45

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Men's Hats in black and grey all shapes worth $2.50. Sale price $1.35

Men's Shoes in Box Calf, Velour and Patent leather, worth $4.00 Sale price $1.95

Ladies' Shoes that are neat and stylish. This season's new lasts worth $2.50. Sale price.....$1.95

Men's brown and blue heavy fleeced ribbed Underwear, worth 50c. Sale price 38c

Men's heavy fleeced lined Underwear, worth 50c. Sale price at 38c

Men's Dress Shirts, worth 50c. Sale price 34c

Boys' Wool Mufflers, worth 50c and 75c. Sale price 24c

Children's Military Caps, worth 50c. Sale price 19c

Men's and Boys' Black Sateen Shirts, worth 50c. Sale price 37c

Ladies' heavy fleeced lined Hose worth 20c. Sale price 10c

Men's heavy wool fleece lined Underwear, worth $1.00. Sale price 69c

A fine assortment of Men's Suits and Overcoats in all new shades, worth $12.00. Sale price at $4.85

Children's Overcoats, ages 4 to 6, made extra good, worth $2.00 Sale price 98c

Men's Pants in all the fashionable shades worth $3.50. Sale price $1.95

Boys' High Art Clothes, Coats with cuffs, knickerbocker or plain Pants, worth $6.00. Sale price only $3.45

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats in Worsteds and Cassimeres worth $10. Sale price $4.85

Men's Hats that are beauties See them in our display window. All new styles, worth $3.00. Sale Price $1.85

Men's Shoes in Patent Colt and Box Calf that are worth $3.50. Sale Price $2.45

Boys' Shoes, good, long wear Shoes, worth $2.50. Sale price only $1.44

Ways' Cotton Mufflers, worth 25c. Sale Price 10c

Donnet Flannel Night Shirts, worth 50c. Sale price 39c

Men's Wool Underwear, red, brown and all colors, worth $1.50 Sale Price 79c

Children's Wool Sweaters worth 75c. Sale price 39c

Children's heavy black Hose, sizes 7 to 9½, worth 15c. Sale Price 7c

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Men's and Boys' Wool Caps, worth 50c. Sale price 19c

Children's Black Hose, sizes 5 to 6½, worth 15c. Sale price..6c

Boys' heavy Fleeced Lined Union Suits, worth 50c. Sale price only 39c

Boys' 75c Sweater Coats, grey trimmed in blue. Sale price..33c

Men's Canvas Gloves worth 10c. Sale Price 5c

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Ladies' Shoes that are solid leather throughout, worth $1.75. Sale Price $1.24

Men's Dress Shirts worth $1.50 Sale Price 69c

Men's Silk Finish Hose in green purple, pink, etc., worth 15c. Sale Price 7½c

Children's all wool double Mittens, worth 25c and 50c. Sale Price 10c

Men's fine wool Coat Sweaters, worth $2.00. Sale price 69c

Boys' Wool Sweaters, worth $1.50. Sale price 39c

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IT — THERE.

An acquaintance from Hoosierdom gives us early warning to keep an eye on Governor Marshall, when it comes to figuring on a Democratic presidential candidate. We stand attention and on guard and our eye is "sot." We esteem Governor Marshall much as a man, we like him as a candidate for office because he is not forever setting his ear to list whence cometh and whither the wind bloweth. He has views and the courage of them, a most elegant quality in a public person. Still he is from Indiana and that counts something against him. Indianians seem ever more concerned about who shall be national committeeman than they do who shall be president.

NOT OUR FUNERAL.

The Blade has got real mad and says if The Times does not quit talking about the Sikes case it is going to tell all it knows about Mr. Sikes: it is going to tell some dreadful things about him. That does not scare us a bit. We are not Mr. Sikes's keeper, nor is he ours. Whenever the spirit moves us we are going to give free rein thereto and talk as long and loud about the Sikes case and things incidental thereto, as suits our will and fancy.

But here is an idea. If the Blade knew such dreadful things about Frank Lee Sikes's official actions, why did it not as a newspaper, print them when they were news, print them before they became res adjudicata that's a sample of the legal technicalities we have been absorbing of late, and means settled by the law—print them, we repeat, before they become res adjudicata and not as a matter of madness or impotent revenge? And another, if the Blade starts on its exposure of Republican county officials, though as a matter of mere revenge, will it get the habit and become the more or less able coadjutor of The Times in some further exposures it is going to touch off of and concerning another county official, before the present moon waxes and wanes?

HOLD YOUR RECEIPT.

Citizen Haines is a known victim of "one of the best treasurers Scioto county ever had," according to the gang organ.

Mr. Haines came all the way down from South Webster, Friday, to pay his taxes, an annual practice with him. When he made his purpose known at the court house he was informed he was delinquent for a year back. Great was his astonishment for he had paid, but unfortunately had not brought his receipt with him. He tried to argue the case, but there was nothing for him to do but go back and get his receipt which he did. He was out [illegible] by a day and the expense of the trip, but how fortunate [illegible] he had not lost or destroyed his receipt.

Let it be remembered, however, that citizen Haines is not alone, but one of many. "One of the best treasurers Scioto county ever had was "long" a great many hundreds of dollars in his final settlement. It may be [illegible] thousands long, since they [illegible] up on these things like clams at the court house and it is only [illegible] known for a positive fact that when he went out of office he turned over to the county treasury a large sum of money he was unable to account for further than it had been paid to him by tax payers. This sum came from divers and sundries persons and all of these, or many of them may not be so careful, or fortunate as to have preserved their receipts. If they have not they will simply have to pay double taxes.

The gang organ was sorely indignant at The Times for exposing the "long" in the accounts of "one of the best treasurers Scioto county ever had" and said it was abusing a most efficient official. Had it been at all true to its readers instead of ever setting itself to the task of defending gangsters at all hazards it would have told them of the situation and advised them to hold their tax receipts and bring them along when they came to settle again for taxes. It, though, has no conception of its duty to subscriber, or public, where the interests of the gang are concerned.

FIRST TO BUILD THIS SEASON

Back of a negotiations by Malavazos Bros. for the purchase of the "Sugar Bowl," is said to be plans of the First National bank to begin work on its new block at Gallia and Chillicothe, next spring.

If the deal goes through, it is said the Sugar Bowl room will not be rented again and Mr. Carr, who has the corner room, will in the spring move into the room in his block, to be vacated by Frank J. Baker. This will give the bank early possession of its property and allow it to build this year instead of next as it had originally planned.

None of the interested parties would confirm the story.

The Sarcastic Young Things

The Ironton News sarcastically remarks anent "Roun" Johnson's plan to give Portsmouth United States court sittings instead of Ironton that "it is rumored Johnson will sell his country home at Ironton and move to Portsmouth."

Get Report of Elopement

Police received word from West Union, Adams county, Sunday of the elopement of Charles Bittner and Mrs. Mattie Williams and who are now believed to be in hiding here.

Bittner is said to be a middle aged man and has a wife and family at West Union. The woman is reported to be considerably younger. Police have been unable to find any trace of the pair.

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BOND SALE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon.

Tuesday, February 15, 1910.

For the purchase of $[illegible] Fire Department Bonds Building and Equipment dated February 1, 1910, and maturing as follows: [illegible]

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COLDEST NIGHT OF THE SEASON

Stockdale	20 below
South Webster	16 below
Harrisonville	15 below
Lucasville	14 below
McDermott	13 below
Buena Vista	10 below
Chillicothe Pike	8 below
Wheelersburg	4 below
Portsmouth	4 below

The weather record has been broken for the winter of 1909-10.

According to Dr. Harry Schirrmann, the thermometer went down to 4 below zero Monday morning, the coldest morning of the winter. It has stood at 1 below a couple of times, but Sunday night or early Monday the mercury went sliding down the scale and "fetched" up with weather than made a fellow hold his ears and hunt the warm spots.

People were amazed when told how cold it was for Sunday had been an ideal day. The sun shone brightly most of the day, and while its rays were not of sufficient warmth to call into service a sunshade, nevertheless people were congratulating themselves that the back of winter had been broken and that the worst was over for the time being at least.

The conditions, however, were deceiving and many people neglected to drain their water pipes and the result is that there were many calls for the plumber. The frost hung thick on telegraph and telephone wires, while the bared branches of the trees had a thick coating of the stuff peddled around so freely by the unwelcome visitor, Jack Frost. The snow "crunched" under the foot of man and beast and people lost no time in hurrying to the factory or office where the thoughtful janitor had everything as warm as a "bug in a rug."

While it was cold in Portsmouth there was something doing in the towns and villages. W. D. Brown of Stockdale called up The Times bright and early Monday morning and in an icy breath informed the force that it was 20 degrees below at his place, and he owns a splendid thermometer, too. He said that it was the coldest morning they had had in that vicinity for several years.

Out at Lucasville they have a weather man, C. B. Anderson, who kept tab on conditions for the past twenty-five years. His thermometer showed 12 below, while at Braut & Appel's store the mercury stood at 14 below.

The telephone exchange at Harrisonville showed 16 below, and the pretty operator really smiled at The Times man who told her it was colder than blue blixen in Portsmouth. She allowed The Times force should put on linen dusters and peek-a-boo waists.

At Buena Vista it went down to 6 below and Wheelersburg it equalled the record at Portsmouth. On the Chillicothe Pike, the mercury stood at 8 below, the second time this winter that point has been reached.

It was cold, you bet, and some people say it was only a "smidgeon" as to what it will be tonight. But at that people are prepared for the worst. There is coal in the bin, the gas meter is oiled up, blankets fuzzy and thick, weather strips nailed on the door—all ready, let 'er go.

They Hid Their Booze In The Park Cannon

It is the Huntington Herald-Dispatch that hands out this lovely story:

"It isn't often that anything in the way of a "package" is handed the Catlettsburg boys, for their is one thing certain, whatever they may lack in the way of temperate environment, they are possessed of natural predilection for cutting their eye teeth early in the game—but just the same there was one slipped over on them at Portsmouth on New Year's eve.

"A party of them went to the Ohio town to attend a big New Year's dance given by the "400" shoemakers, and knowing that the town was sorely afflicted with drought and that the thirsty were in desperate straits and awfully stingy with their liquid refreshment, took a nice big quart of Kentucky's best with them. They hid it outside of the ball room on the veranda and after a few drinks, late in the evening, noticed that the liquid was going mighty fast for some reason or other, so they sought a new hiding place and found it in the mouth of a big brass cannon on the grounds nearby.

"It was just drifting into the New Year, the bells were beginning to toll and the band was playing "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now," the revelers were dancing, enwrapped in the charm of the waltz when boom! went the cannon that stood near the building, followed by a crash of broken glass as the quart bottle of booze struck a telegraph pole a block away and flew into a billion fragments, while the air became tainted with its fragrance, marking the good-bye to the only booze in Portsmouth. Catlettsburg boys will never again hide bottled goods in an old cannon."

Lehman's for caps.

Mrs. Davidson Ill.

Mrs. W. N. Davidson, wife of Police Chief Davidson, is quite ill at their hill top home. Mrs. Davidson is threatened with pneumonia fever.

Ports. Steel Co. Files An Answer

Sunday's Enquirer in its court column said:

"An answer was filed yesterday in the circuit court by the defendant in the $50,000 damage suit of Walter Radcliff vs. The Portsmouth (O.) Steel company. Plaintiff, while an employe, was run down by one of the defendant's switch engines, which resulted in the loss of both his legs. The accident is admitted by the company, but it is charged that it was due largely to his own negligence. Robertson & Buchwalter and Bannon & Bannon, attorneys for defendant."

LAME DUCKS HAVE BUSY DAY SUNDAY

The two "lame ducks," Jim Bau[illegible]ens and Fred Ketter, were up and doing all day Sunday, and to all intents and purposes were after others besides liquor violators.

The two sleuths seemed to be keeping close watch upon grocery keepers and meat dealers, who were keeping open. They visited all parts of the city and, while not entering any of the places doing business, would make inquiries of persons seen coming from the stores that were open.

It was while acting [illegible] at certain Sixteenth street that the "lame ducks" caught sight of a boy [illegible] with a basket on his arm. They at once scented a "case." The boy was hailed and questioned. He was an employe of Albert Nagel, an East Second street meat dealer. The boy told a straightforward story to the effect that he had made some meat deliveries and then stopped at Walter Bagby's to buy some bread. The sleuths, still doubting his story, forced him to uncover his basket. All they found was a few loaves of bread. Still desiring to make sure of his tale they marched him back [illegible] street to Bagby's place to confirm the fact that he had made his purchase there. After that he was allowed to go his way.

Woman Is Ordered To Leave The City

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Mt. Vernon Chapter will meet in regular session on Monday evening, January 10th.

Aurora Lodge will meet for work in the Fellow Craft Degree on Monday evening, Jan. 10.

WANTED.

WANTED—25 laborers at once. Apply to the Portsmouth Steel Co. 10-tf

WANTED—Cigar salesman in your locality to represent us. Experience unnecessary. $110 per month and expenses. Write us for particulars. Monarch Cigar Co., St. Louis. 10-1

WANTED—A girl at 69 West Fifth street. 10-tf

WANTED—Ironing to do at home. Call at 218 Court. 10-3

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Apply at 160 East Second street. 10-3

WANTED—Experienced girl for general house work. 165 West Second St. 10-3

WANTED—A good general house girl at 315 East Tenth St.

WANTED—Boarders at 40 West Tenth. 8-3

WANTED—Clerk at Werner's grocery on Gallia street. 8-3

MEN WANTED QUICKLY—By big Chicago mail order house to distribute catalogues, advertise etc. $21.00 a week. Liberal expense allowance first month. No experience required. Globe Association, 1212 State street, Chicago. 5-6

HOW 50 CENTS made $200 and $5 made $2,000 in a short time is the title of a fascinating booklet, which especially investors of small means looking for similar opportunities ought to read. Copy free on application. Address Pres. A. L. Waterbury, 356 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. 5-6

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Cincinnati, O. 10-3

WANTED—To buy and sell furniture, stoves, clothing and literature. Dotson Bros., 108 East Ninth St. Home phone X 888. 12-30-25

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We supply and sell and buy all sorts of timber and lumber. We also handle roofing, American Gypsum Co., Dry Color Paint and Varnish. E. M. Funk, 129 East Twelfth, Phones, Home 1224, Bell 211 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Any one wanting furniture, enough to handsomely furnish five rooms, including kitchen and dining rooms, very cheap, address M. L. Times office. 8-tf

FOR SALE—18 acre truck farm one mile from Waits Station Crack Hall, Wheelersburg, O. R. F. D., No. 1. 8-3

FOR SALE—Heating stove. Call at Fred Klingman's 129 West Second street. 8-3

FOR SALE—Cheap new Underwood typewriter. 14 inch carriage. Call 3705 Home phone. 21-tf

FOR SALE—Now is the time to buy Second Hand Autos. I have taken in several on the sale of new cars. Come quick if you want one. W. J. Friel. 20-tf

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FOR SALE—Fire proof safe. A bargain. New. Size 26x25x36 inches high. Inquire 90-92 Gallia street. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, 192 Front street. 10-3

FOR SALE—3 room cottage at New Boston. Call East End Furniture Co., Eleventh and Lawson. 29-tf

FOR SALE—Residence 114 East Second, 72 feet front. Inquire Telephone No. 118.

FOR SALE—4 room cottage 1347 Summit street. Inquire at 705 John street. 8-3

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Will yield you more in dollars and cents than one hundred acres of ice and sleet, and think of the difference in the fuel bill and the comforts of living. What's the use of fighting and fretting and freezing? Write today for convincing information, bank and other endorsements of this greatest money-making opportunity in Florida. Address Tampa Bay Land Company, Tampa, Florida. 8-6t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 517 Washington St. 10-3

FOR RENT—2 front rooms upstairs furnished or unfurnished. 1310 Grandview avenue. 10-4

FOR RENT—Two front rooms furnished for light house keeping. Gas and water. 70 Gallia street. 10-tf

FOR RENT—6 room house complete on Fourth near Offnere. Call Cecil Miller, Room 28 Turley building. 8-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light house keeping. 374 New Fifth street. 8-3

FOR RENT—Furnished room with gas for heat and light, also bath, for one or two gentlemen. Apply 113 East Ninth street. 8-3

FOR RENT—10 room house with bath. Inquire Jacob Werner 64 Gallia. 8-3

FOR RENT—5 room cottage on Jackson near Offnere street. Water and gas. Also two office rooms, Second and Washington streets. See Ralph Calvert, 51 West Second. 8-3

FOR RENT—Fine large, furnished front room, with private bath, suitable for two gentlemen. Mrs. John A. Grimes, 128 East Second street. 28-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light house keeping to family without children. Call Home B 1241. 3-tf

LOST.

FOUND—A pocket book containing money. Owner can have same by calling at 268 East Ninth, proving contents and paying for this ad. 8-3

LOST—A watch and fob between Millbrook waiting room and power house. Initial L. G. on fob. Return to Miss Gerst, at Atlas Trading Co. Reward. 1

LOST—Fair sized reddish dog with collar. Finder kindly advise superintendent of Western and Southern Life. 10-3

LOST—Grey silk belt with pin and amethyst setting. Phone A 1275. 10-3

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THE FRANK B. FINNEY CO. Second and Washington

LOST—Gold fountain pen from Second to Eighth or from Chillicothe to John on Gallia. Return to 81 East Ninth. 10-3

LOST—Bunch of keys, brass check with 66 stamped upon it. Finder call X 1150 Home. Reward. 10-2

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By calling on us and having your property insured before the fire occurs. It costs but a trifle when compared to losing the earnings of a life time by fire. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia street. Office open day and night. Home phone No. 668. Bell No. 395 W. INMAN & GRAHAM.

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On Watches, Diamonds and Singer Sewing Machines at JOE REISNER, 703 Chillicothe St.

Special sale on Trunks and Suit Cases to be sold at wholesale prices.

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Property of every description. If you have property to sell we will buy it. If you want to buy, we will sell. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia Street. Home phone No. 668. Bell No. 395 W.

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MONEY TO LOAN

The Portsmouth German Building & Loan Association Co., will loan you money on real estate.

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5 Sections good land. Well located under lease 5 years, subject to sale. Optional whether owner wants possession or not at $7.50 per acre.

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DO YOU

Want to buy a Home and have not enough money? SEE US. We make loans on Real Estate.

THE ROYAL Savings and Loan Company Second and Washington Sts Portsmouth, O.

Gun Is Used In A Fight

The little town of Bloom Switch was the scene of another near tragedy, the other day, and Albert Yates, one of the principals, is still among the missing.

Yates is said to have attacked his brother-in-law, William Arthur, who, as road supervisor, had preferred charges against him for not working on the public highways. The two men exchanged blows and indulged in some rock throwing when finally Yates whipped out a gun. Bystanders interfered before he could use the weapon. He immediately after skipped out and has not been seen or heard from since. His intended victim is a brother of Joshua Arthur, the man now imprisoned in the county jail for an attempt upon the life of Herb Clare some weeks ago. Yates himself aided in the arrest of Joshua Arthur at the time.

Buys Store At Olive Hill, Ky.

Will E. Barry, a South Portsmouth boy, who is employed as C. & O. operator at Olive Hill, Ky., has just purchased the Maddox general store at that place. His father-in-law, C. A. Wilson, is interested in the venture and will probably manage the business.

SAID TO HAVE BEATEN WIFE

A warrant is in the hands of Marshal McKinney of New Boston for the arrest of Seward Lynch, who is charged by his wife with having assaulted her with a heavy shoe, badly injuring her head and shoulder.

The assault is alleged to have occurred at the Lynch home on Monday morning, when Lynch became angry with his wife because she would not prepare his breakfast. She is quite low with tuberculosis and the sympathy of the community is decidedly against Lynch, who was arrested and fined by Mayor Morgan the other day for beating his wife.

To Install Officers.

The Knights of Columbus will hold an installation meeting next Wednesday, at which new officers for the ensuing year will be elected. District Deputy Mayne of Ironton will conduct the ceremonies.

3rd St. Line Is Running

Fourteen barrels of salt were used to thaw out the tracks on the Third street line which had become blocked with snow. The salt did the required work and the first car was sent through on Saturday night and a regular schedule has been maintained ever since. The street car service is now up to normal and the tracks in good shape.

Doctors Are To Banquet

The Hempstead Academy will banquet at the Washington this Monday night. Besides the delectable menu to be served there will be a great feast of oratory and wit spread by some of the most eloquent and nimble tongued of the local Esculapians.

TAX PAYERS BARRED OUT

The county commissioners and the newly elected city board of land appraisers met in the commissioners' office behind locked doors Monday at 10 a. m., and no ordinary taxpayer was admitted. Just what the object or purpose of the gun shoe meeting was, could not be learned.

Engineer Farrow Riggs of the N. & W., was called to Lynchburg Sunday by the serious illness of his brother.

Eugene E. Knox, Masonic Temple, Insures anything Insurable.

OHIO LEAGUE HAS MEETING

Columbus, O., Jan. 10.—Special to The Times:—Portsmouth will be represented in the Ohio State League the coming season. That was decided upon at a meeting of the league held at the Neill House in this city this morning and afternoon.

The outlook is very favorable for an eight team league, and hinging upon this contingency President Robert Quinn did not resign as the chief executive, although he announced at the meeting that he would resign just as soon as the question of teams was definitely settled.

It looks like the following cities will comprise the league: Portsmouth, Lima, Mansfield, Marion, Lancaster, Chillicothe, Cambridge and one other city yet to be named.

As has been forecasted, the salary was fixed at $1,200 per month, a fal of $400 over 1909. On these terms Lancaster came in the fold. This limit is inclusive of the managers salary, which will do away with bench managers.

Lancaster was represented by Secretaury Nothaker and Mr. Ruff, who stated that the team had secured new backing. Mr Jewell represented Cambridge; Paul Sturgiss, Mansfield; Ed Staiger Marion; Pres. Quinn Lima; Mr. Cochran Chillicothe, and George Wurster and R. D. York looked after Portsmouth's interests.

Portsmouth, it is said has a deal on with Xip Selbach, of the Harrisburg team that will likely result in the securing of a major league player as manager.

COURT NEWS

In court Monday afternoon Judge Blair called the docket, disposing of cases as follows:

Charles E. Worley, as county commissioner of Scioto county, against Norfolk & Western railway. Passed for settlement.

Wm. Kent against Samuel Irwin & Co. Set for January 21.

Ella Mowry against Samuel L. Haines. Trial Tuesday, January 18.

Celia Neal against Preston Sheets, Henry Sheets and Harvey Sheets. Set for January 17.

Saunders Watrous Co. against the First Christian church. January 21.

George B. Malone against John F. Taylor. Trial set for January 23.

Stella Simpkins against George Simpkins. Dismissed.

Bertha Calvert against Lucille Harper. A supplementary petition filed.

Elizabeth Penix against John Penix. Decree for divorce granted.

Edith McKinney against Joseph McKinney. Dismissed without prejudice. This was the divorce case that was "called off."

John W. Inman against Dan M. Ryan. Set for Friday. Hearing on demurrer.

L. J. Fenton against Barlow & Mann. Cognovit noe, $1400. Judgment by default. This is an echo of the Portsmouth Press, long since defunct.

N. B. Shelby against N. & W. Railway company. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

John Sheppard against Portsmouth Baseball club. Passed for settlement, Oscar Newman saying the case would be closed in a day or two out of court.

In the case of Bertha L. Calvert against Lucille Harper, a supplementary petition was filed in the clerk's office, wherein Volcakt Selling was made a party defendant.

A motion for a new trial was argued by Attorney Searl in the case of John S. Sabie against Charles Wilkins and others, and same was overruled. The case is a "West Side" one, in which the purchaser of some land "squealed."

Is Bound Over.

The large crowd which had gathered at Squire Byron's court to hear the blackmail suit against Joel Jewett, Monday afternoon, was disappointed when Jewett, through his attorney, Clint M. Searl, waived examination, and as bound over to court in the sum of $100. His attorney went on his bond. The charge was preferred by Frank Farmer of this city, who alleges that Jewett had him arrested for shooting quail because he would not pay him a certain sum of money, which Jewett claimed, he owed him.

Rev. C. Schneider, assistant pastor of St. Mary's church, Sunday visited Joseph Lovey, who is dangerously ill at his home on Pond Creek.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio is again slowly falling after reaching a stage of over 27 feet here, but a second rise in the Kanawha and at Pittsburg will check the decline. The cold weather is forming new ice in the river and that running Monday was very heavy, although not sufficient to prevent the C. & O. ferryboat from running.

Unless the cold snap should continue river men expect navigation to be resumed within a few days. The big steamer Queen City left Pittsburg Monday. If she is middle to get back to Pittsburg on account of falling water and in time for repairs, she will start her New Orleans Mardi Gras trip from Cincinnati.

Royal Arcanum Tuesday P. M.

The Royal Arcanum will meet Tuesday evening at Eagle's hall, corner Sixth and Chillicothe streets. Installation of officers, oysters and refreshments. All members are urged to be present.

T. A. RUSSELL, Secretary.

Cliff Smith Buys A Lot

J. J. Rardin has sold to Clifford G. Smith a lot on Grant street in the Selby Terrace addition, consideration $1200. Mr. Smith is the N. & W. engineer, a son of Dr. Smith, and recently elected councilman.

Brings Suit For Money

Morris T. Stewart has brought suit in common pleas court against George W. Harris, claiming $185 balance due on a $200 lot sold to him in New Boston. N. J. Dever is Stewart's attorney.

LICENSED TO MARRY

The following marriage licenses were issued in probate court Monday:

John W. Bryant and Ida Jones, 19 and 20 years of age. Squire Byron to officiate.

Walter Ruggles, 22, Wheelersburg, and Bertha Morrison, 18, of the same place. Squire Hall, officiating.

Joseph Schoonover, a teacher of Lucasville, and Margaret Shuckerl, of Rushtown. Rev. Mertian.

Belden Blevens, 18, of Portsmouth, and Cora Jones, also of this city. Squire Byron, officiating.

John W. Bryant and Belden Blevens, of the above couples, are cousins, and their brides are sisters.

Judge Beatty To Be Present

Probate Judge T. O. Beatty will go to Columbus Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Probate Judge's association of Ohio, that will convene at the Southern and be in session all day.

Fortune Teller On the Carpet

Complaints have again reached Chief Davidson regarding Mrs. Winnie Rice, a North End fortune teller and he has ordered her to quit her practice or leave the city. According to reports the woman has about wrecked one or two homes by things she has told her patrons and caused all sorts of tangles among others and the innocent ones have appealed to the chief as a matter of protection.

To Reside Here.

Mrs. George Farrell, whose husband recently died at Denver, Colo., is expected here from Zanesville tonight to make her future home with her sister, Mrs. Adolph Gloekner. Mrs. Farrell will be accompanied by her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Emmert who come for a visit.

Comes Back to Portsmouth

B. E. Allen has returned here from Wellston to relieve J. C. Wable as assistant superintendent of the Western and Southern Insurance company. He is mighty glad to get back to Portsmouth for times are certainly dull at the Jackson county metropolis just now. Mr. Wable will continue with the company as agent under Mr. Allen.

To Meet With Service Man

The entire line of the city council finance committee Sunday was occupied with going over proposed appropriations for the public safety department. The next meeting will be with the public service director. Director Jones hopes to receive extra allowances for city garbage and street cleaning work, the latter owing to the additional miles of newly paved streets.

To Give An Oyster Supper

The D. of A. of New Boston will give an oyster social at Congress hall Tuesday evening. All are invited.

Billy Maier Is Laid Up

Billy Maier is laid up at his home with an attack of rheumatism. His father August Maier, who was recently stricken with paralysis is considerably better.

Mayor Bultman of Hamden, who was here Monday, reported that the two offices of marshal and street commissioner had been combined there and were now being filled by William Young, a Democrat.

Engine Damaged.

The neglect to turn off the water at the C. C. Davidson meat market in the East End, caused the engine cylinder to burst and several of the lead water pipes. The damage will exceed $25.

A New Lodge.

District Deputy Chester Kerr of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics left Monday for Scioto Furnace to institute a new council. It will be known as Peerless council and will contain a charter membership of forty.

The Roof Leaked.

A leak in the roof caused quite a section of wall paper to fall from the ceiling of the council chamber in the city building on Monday.

Were Married.

Walter Ruggles and Miss Bertha Morrison braved the severe cold Monday morning by coming here from Wheelersburg to get married. The knot was tied by Squire Henry Hall.

A Baby Boy.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Minnery of East Eleventh street Monday morning. Mr. Minnery is an employee of the N. and W. Terminals.

Have a Son.

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cole of the terminals. Mr. Cole is an N. & W. engineer.

Solicitor Is Out.

After a week's illness City Solicitor Horace Small was able to be out on the streets Monday.

Leslie C. Turley has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Ohio State Football Schedule.

Sept. 24.—Otterbein.
Oct. 1.—Wittenberg.
Oct. 8.—Cincinnati.
Oct. 15.—Reserve.
Oct. 22.—Michigan.
Oct. 29.—Denison.
Nov. 5.—Case at Cleveland.
Nov. 12.—Ohio Wesleyan.
Nov. 19.—Oberlin.
Nov. 24.—Kenyon.
(Contract still unsigned.)

By defeating an octogenarian, Bill Lang, the Australian heavyweight, is so elated he wants to meet any Fifth avenue newsboy.

FRISCO TO GET BIG FIGHT JULY 4

New York, Jan. 10.—It most certain now that the weight championship fight between Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson will be decided at the big baseball park in San Francisco on the afternoon of July 4.

Jack Gleason, who is the owner of the park and who was associated with "Tex" Rickard being awarded the contract, been working hard to get the coming Board of Supervisors San Francisco to grant special permit to hold at his ball park.

According to a quiet tip which reached here from the Coast last night, Gleason has been successful in getting the Supervisors to decide unanimously to allow the fight to take place and to go the forty-five rounds, as called for in the articles of agreement.

FRED HELLER IS PURCHASED

Fred Heller, Columbus resident, who played ball last year in both the Central and Ohio State Leagues after training with the New York Giants, will be next season with the Harrisburg team of the Tristate League says the State Journal.

Al Selbach, manager of Harrisburg, has the deal closed and recorded with Secretary Farrell of the National Association. Heller was purchased from the Dayton club of the Central League.

It was Selbach who recommended Heller to John J. McGraw more than a year ago. Naturally when the Harrisburg manager was setting out in that resulted in the capture of his protege.

Heller was with Lancaster in the Ohio State League and when he played here he never caused any heart failures by his brilliant fielding. But he could hit that ball.

IMPORTANT 1909 SPORT EVENTS

Jan. 18—Fielder Jones demanded $30,000 to manage the Chicago White Sox.

Feb. 17—"Cy Young traded by Boston to Cleveland.

March 6—Lipmans broke the world's record for five-men bowling team, making 2962 pins at the Pittsburg tournament.

April 2—St. Yves won marathon setting new world's record of 2:40 50 3-5.

May 26—Minoru won the English derby.

June 30—Pittsburg's new million dollar baseball park opened with an attendance of 30,388.

July 19—Neal Ball made triple play unassisted at Cleveland ball park.

Aug. 25—Hamburg Belle defeated Uhlan in two fastest heats ever trotted in a race, 2:01 1-4 and 2:01 3-4, and was sold for $50,000.

Sept. 30—Detroit won American league pennant.

Oct. 16—Pittsburg won the world's championship.

Oct. 29—Jeffries and Johnson signed to fight for world's heavyweight championship.

Nov. 18—Hamburg Belle died.

Dec. 18—Tom Lynch, ex-umpire, elected president of National league.

Norman Elberfeld says he is through passing the umpire. If Cobb said that he was through making base hits and Mathewson declared that he wouldn't try to win games any longer, we'll believe it. It is singular what a well behaved individual Elberfeld is—in the off season.

LOANS

$10. and upwards to Housekeepers

Housekeepers, has the curtailment caused you to run behind with your rent and store bills? If so, come to us; we'll make you a loan large enough to pay them up, and keep your credit good, for all that a working man has to his credit, which he cannot afford to lose. Our loans are returnable in small weekly payments of $1 or $2. We have but one rate.

Phone Us **Ohio Loan Co** 205 Masonic Temple. Home 'Phone 63

Ohio River Work to Be Rushed

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—Representative Alexander, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the house, has asked for 80 more government engineers to take care of the prospective increased waterways improvements. He held a conference with Chairman Hull, of the committee on military affairs, today and urged appropriations for this addition to the force of government engineers.

Part of this increased force will be placed, it is said, upon the Ohio river. With his present force, Chief Marshall has informed the committee on rivers and harbors that it will be a physical impossibility to take care of the immense amount of detail connected with the canalization of the Ohio in connection with the other work that will be provided for in this session's bill.

Another favorable development for the Ohio river today was the appointment of Representative Woodyard as a member of the subcommittee on surveys. This places a friend of the Ohio project in a place where he can bring pressure to bear in favor of the canalization of the river.

Rob Tynes Saw Roy Gordon

Rob Tynes, traveling salesman for the Portsmouth Harbison-Walker company, arrived home Saturday evening from a two weeks vacation trip to New York city. On his way back he stopped off at Richmond, Va., where he had a business appointment and was delighted to encounter Roy Gordon, whose theatrical company was playing there Thursday night. Roy is still winning praise for his work in the heavy role of "Arizona," the famous Augustus Thomas success, which is now in its ninth season. The Richmond papers were especially cordial in their appreciation of the present company, and all of them made special mention of Gordon's acting, second only to that of the star.

C. & O. Ferry Ran Sunday

The C. & O. ferry boat Chesapeake continued to meet all trains on Sunday although at times the floating ice was so thick as to make the safe passage of the vessel seem doubtful. The Interstate Transfer omnibuses were not transported to the Kentucky side of the river until afternoon, the difficulty in making a landing close to shore restricting the business to foot passengers only. At noon, however, the ice along the shore was broken up sufficiently to permit the landing of the Chesapeake at her own dock.

For HEADACHE—Hicks' CAPUDINE.

Whether from Colds, Heat, Stomach or Nervous Troubles Capudine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it 10c., 25c., and 50c. at drug stores.

Wasn't That A Mean Trick?

Going at a fast clip around the corner of Fourth and North Waller streets Sunday evening about 8:30 o'clock a small sleigh drawn by a single horse upset, precipitating the occupants into the snow drifts on the side of the street. The young "joy riders" refused to divulge their names when a reported, with visions of a scoop, stepped forward and helped them right the sleigh. That's gratitude!

View Wreck Of the Emily

Notwithstanding the fact that the roads were covered with melting snow to the depth of ten inches, several hundred persons plowed their way to the foot of Union street Sunday afternoon to view the wreck of the Emily. But a small part of the vessel remains visible, as the river has risen to the upper deck. River men were of the opinion that it would be washed down the stream and broken up on the ice, but as yet she has shown no signs of leaving its present position.

Fancy Silks

Fancy Silks worth $1.00 for only 69c per yard. This is a special of the big sale that you should not miss, for there are values here for 69c that it will be many a day before you are able to get them again at the same price.

Fancy Silks worth $1 and $1.25 for only 89c.

Fancy Silks worth up to $1.50 for only 98c yard.

January Clean-Up Sale

Andersons' Store Throws Open Its Doors Tomorrow, Tuesday, and Introduces to You The

Greatest Mid-Winter Sale In The History of Portsmouth!

Lace Curtains

CURTAIN MATERIALS AND PILLOWS REDUCED

All Lace Curtains, all Swiss Curtains, all Tapestry Curtains and all Madras Curtains go at a reduction of 10 per cent.

All Drapery and Curtain Piece Goods go at less 10 per cent.

Tapestry Pillows worth 50c for 39c.

Velour Pillows worth $2 for $1.59.

Satin Pillows worth $2.00 for $1.59.

Satin Pillows worth $1.25 for 98c.

Pillow Tops at half price.

Sales may come and sales may go but this mammoth "January Clean-Up Sale" which starts tomorrow morning will establish low water marks in price reducing and demonstrate what a real money saving sale is, in such a clear way that it will be long remembered. This is the sale that we pride ourselves on and the one of all that we go the limit and farther in reducing prices. We have gone through our stocks and taken our inventory and we found many lots of merchandise that we should get rid of. Some lots are broken in sizes or colors as the case may be. Then there are some that we have too much stock of and wish to reduce it at once. In each of the above cases we have reduced prices and done it with a vengeance for we have found that by so doing we can not only accomplish what we want but can benefit the people of Portsmouth at the same time. We have named this "The January Clean-Up Sale" because that describes it exactly. It is for the purpose of cleaning up our stock, getting rid of surplus merchandise and cleaning out odd lots. This however does not mean that the merchandise on sale is not up to the high standard of quality. Far from it. Everything on sale here is right up to the Anderson standard and will not be found wanting in value. Furthermore, every statement in this advertisement as to values and prices of merchandise is absolutely authentic and can be taken for just what it says. We do not inflate former prices to make the reduced prices appear small, but we do reduce prices enough to make actual bargains and make them plain enough that any one can see that they are bargains.

Be Here at the Turn of the Keys Tomorrow Morning and Get Early Selections From the Great Expanse of Bargains!

Here Are the Bargains That Will Give the People of Portsmouth and Scioto County Something to Thing and Talk About. They're Money Saving!

A Sale of Silks and Dress Goods That Has No Precedent

Come to this sale and let the bargains speak for themselves. We have reduced the prices until the bargains in every case are very evident and it won't take long for you to recognize the importance of this great "Clean-Up Sale. Look through the vast array of Silk and Dress Goods specials.

Plain and Fancy Silks

Plain and Fancy Silks worth up to 75c for ... 45c yd

Satin Rajah in 25 colors and worth $1.35 in this sale for only ... 98c yd

These Rough Silks are very popular and are the thing for spring. Take advantage of this sale while it is offered you.

Taffeta Silk in plain colors and 27 inches wide worth $1.00 for only ... 58c

Satin Duchess 26 inches wide and worth $1.00 for only ... 89c yd

Satin Bengaline 26 inches wide and worth $1.00 for only ... 79c yd

Black Taffeta 36 inches wide and worth $1.00 for only ... 89c yd

Black Taffeta 36 inches wide and worth $1.25 for only ... 98c yd

Colored Taffeta 36 inches wide and worth $1.00 for only ... 89c yd

Colored Satin 36 inches wide and worth $1.25 for only ... 98c yd

Crepe De Chine worth 69c for only ... 39c yd

Crepe De Chine in fancy Patterns worth $1.00 and $1.25 for only ... 69c yd

Black Dress Goods in This Sale

Fancy Voiles and Crepes in dress lengths, $1.50 values for ... $1.00 yd

Black Cheviot 50 inches wide worth $1.00 for 69c yd

Black Broadcloth 50 inches wide in all grades less 10 per cent.

Black Satin Venetian 48 inches wide worth $1.50 for only ... $1.15 yd

Black French Serge with faint stripe, worth $1.00, and 42 inches wide for only ... 89c yd

Black and Navy Sicilian 43 inches wide worth $1.00 for only ... 69c yd

Skirt Lengths in Dress Goods less 20 per cent.

Colored Dress Goods

Fancy Dress Goods worth 50c for 25c; 75c for 50c; $1.00 for 69c; $1.25 for 98c.

Plain and Striped Satin Finished Dress Goods worth $1.00 for ... 79c

Navy Voiles 54 inches wide worth $1.50 for ... 98c

Striped Waisting, Wool, worth 35c for ... 19c

35c Challie for ... 29c

Messaline De Soie worth 50c for ... 39c

Soie Silk in plain and dot 35c values for ... 29c

Shadow Stripe Venetian 24 inches wide worth $1.25 for only ... 89c

Any Dress Goods and Silks not mentioned above less 10 per cent.

Domestics at Money Saving Prices. This Department Deserves Your Attention.

In regards to the prices found here at this sale on domestics we would say that nearly all the goods in this department are being offered at prices that could not possibly prevail if we had to buy the goods today. In other words the prices that are in effect during this sale will not be in effect afterwards. We advise every house wife to take advantage of this opportunity.

Calico, dark and light styles at ... 4c

Choice assortment ... 5c

Brown Muslin worth 6¼c for ... 5c

Bleached Muslin worth 10c for ... 9c

Wide Sheeting at old prices while present stock lasts.

Printed Flannels worth 8 1-3c for only ... 6¼c

Idealean Flannel worth 25c for ... 12½c

Eiderdown worth 35c for ... 29c

Krinkledown worth 50c for ... 39c

Outing Flannel, short lengths, all pink stripes worth 8½c for ... 5c

Outing Flannel, light and dark styles worth 8 1-3c for 7c. 10c values ... 9c

White Outing Flannel worth 10c for ... 8c

Fancy Stripe Flannel worth 12½c for ... 9c

Mercerized Poplin 25c value for ... 22½c

Colored Soisette for ... 20c

Plain and Stripe Poplin worth 35c for ... 29c

Challies worth 10c for ... 7½c

Serpentine Crepe for ... 15c

Dress Ginghams worth 9c for 7½c. 10c and 12½c values for ... 9c

Apron Gingham worth 6c for ... 5c

Best Percales for only ... 10c

All Bed Spreads go at a 10 per cent discount.

Striped Heatherbloom worth 35c for only ... 15c

Filo Embroidery Silk on spools 3 for ... 5c

Sun Silk soiled 3 for ... 5c

Embroidery Pieces for children ... 3c

Pillow Tops at ... Half Price

Sunburst Silk, Liberty Silk and Heatherbloom in short lengths less 20 per cent

Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, Linoleums, Etc., Form an Important Part in This Sale

Here are prices on Carpets, Rugs and various articles from this big department that are hard to beat. A special feature of the carpet and rug sale is that you can select any carpet or rug you want, pay one fourth down and we will hold it till spring for you. This you can buy your spring floor covering at January Clean-Up prices and only pay part of the price now.

Tapestry Carpet worth 75c for 58c yd. 90c for 69c

Tapestry Velvet and Axminster worth $1.00 and $1.20 for ... 79c

Velvets and Axminster worth $1.20 for ... 98c

All Wool Ingrain Carpets Worth 65c for 58c Yard

Wool Filled worth 50c for ... 45c

Union worth 40c for ... 35c

Granite Ingrain worth 25c for ... 22c

Ingrain Stair Carpets less 10 per cent.

Ingrain Art Squares less 10 per cent.

Oil Cloth, Linoleum and China and Jap Matting less 10 per cent.

Room Size Rugs Way Down In Price—Buy Now

Tapestry Rugs size 9x12 ft. worth $18.00 only $16.75

Tapestry Rugs size 9x12 ft. worth $16.50 only $14.95

Tapestry Rugs size 9x12 ft. worth $13.50 only $11.98

Tapestry Rugs size 9x12 ft. worth $12.50 only $10.00

Tapestry Rugs 9x12 ft. worth $12.50 only ... $11.25

Fiber Rugs size 9x12 ft. worth $12.50 only ... $10.00

Tapestry Rugs size 8 ft. 8 in. x 11 ft. worth $12.50 for only ... $9.75

Tapestry Rugs size 8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. worth $13.50 for ... $11.98

Saxony Axminster Rugs size 9 x 12 ft. worth $22.50 for only ... $19.75

Axminster Rugs size 9 x 12 ft. worth $25.00 for only ... $21.75

Body Brussels Rugs (one only) size 9x12 ft. worth $25.00 for only ... $17.50

Wilton Rugs (5 patterns) size 9x12 ft. worth $35.00 for only ... $32.50

Art Loom Rugs (5 patterns) size 9x12 ft. worth $40.00 for only ... $37.50

Velvet Rugs size 27x54 in. for only ... $1.20

Velvet and Axminster Rugs size 36x72 in. worth $3.75 for ... $2.69

Saxony Axminster Rugs size 27x54 in. worth $2.00 for only ... $1.75

Comforts and Blankets at Reduced Prices Just When You Need Them

White and Gray Blankets worth 50c for 46c. 75c values for 69c. $1.00 values for 89c. $1.25 values for $1.10. $2.00 Wool Nap Blankets for $1.75. $2.50 values for $2.19.

Beacon Plaid Blankets worth $2.00 for ... $1.50

Wool Blankets worth $3.00 for $2.69. $4.00 values for $3.50. $5.00 values for $4.50. $6.50 values for $5.50. $7.50 values for $6.50. $6.00 values for $5.00.

Robe Blankets with cord worth $2.50 for only $2.00. Without cord, worth $2.00 for ... $1.75

Comforts worth $1.00 for 89c. $1.25 values $1.10. $1.50 values for $1.35. $2.00 values for $1.69. $2.50 values for $1.98.

Marsh Comforts worth $3.00 for $2.50. $3.50 values for ... $2.98

Wool Comforts worth $5.00 for ... $3.98

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TIMES' STAFF HAVING ITS TROUBLES

The Times reporting staff is all [illegible] to pieces these days. First [illegible] Gableman resigned to go [illegible] city auditor's office and [illegible] the man engaged to succeed [illegible] S. M. Armstrong, Jr., of [illegible] could not come at this [illegible] owing to the illness of his wife.

Next Tom Brushart got down with the rheumatism and W. A. [illegible] wife down at Rarden got sick, necessitating his presence there.

Finally, to cap the climax, Mil[illegible] Keyes slipped on the ice on Sunday, while going to the [illegible] house and broke one of the [illegible] bones in his leg, which will lay him up for awhile.

The Times hopes to have its force—old and new—together again in a few days.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC AT WILLIAMSON

The board of health of Williamson, W. Va., announces that typhoid fever cases there are increasing in number and says the cause has been traced to bad drinking water. Many deaths have occurred.

PROMOTIONS ANNOUNCED BY N. & W.

The death at Bluefield, W. Va., [illegible] week of Capt. Reese Edmondson of Williamson, assistant trainmaster of the Pocahontas division of the N. & W., has caused a general shifting of officials in the trainmaster's department.

D. L. Peters has been sent to the Pocahontas division, as assistant trainmaster with headquarters at East Williamson, succeeding Capt. Edmondson.

Conductor J. F. McMullen of the Columbus division, has been promoted to the position of assistant trainmaster of the Columbus and Cincinnati divisions, with headquarters at Portsmouth, succeeding Peters.

Capt. Edmondson's death, which occurred last Wednesday, was caused by typhoid pneumonia. He was 42 years of age and had been in the employ of the N. & W. for 20 years, two years of which he was assistant trainmaster. He leaves a wife and three small children.

Mr. Peters, who goes to the Pocahontas division, has been in the railroad service 18 years, beginning as a brakeman.

Mr. Grimes Is In Columbus

H. S. Grimes went to Columbus [illegible] morning and will be there until Wednesday attending [illegible] of various grain dealers [illegible]. Howard Harsha [illegible] also attend the meetings.

Engineer Was Taken Sick

[illegible] Kenova items in Saturday's [illegible] Advertiser were [illegible]

[illegible] Biggs, engineer of the [illegible] & Western, became suddenly [illegible] train in Kenova. He [illegible] to the home of his [illegible], Harvey Stewart, of [illegible] and a physician summoned. At this time he is a little [illegible] C. W. Fischback, [illegible] the N. & W., was a [illegible] from Portsmouth yes-[illegible]

Make A Holler To Get Raise

[illegible] appraisers of Ross [illegible] a prolonged howl at [illegible] working for the tax [illegible] rate of $3.50 per day. [illegible] that the commissioners [illegible] and give them $4 a [illegible]

Special Lots of Embroidery at 5c [illegible] d. and Up

Waist Nets in colors. The Kaiserine Nets worth $2.25 for $1.39.

$1.00 Nets your choice of white and cream tucked and colored at 89c.

$1.50 cream Tucked Nets for only $1.29.

Val Laces broken lots at just half prices.

Venice Bands at a reduction of 10 per cent.

Veilings, all 50c Veilings go at 39c. All 25c Veilings go at 19c.

Ladies' 25c Handkerchiefs nice check linen and also embroidered for only 15c.

Corset Cover Embroideries worth 39c for 29c yd.

All Scarfs and Center Pieces at 20 per cent reduction.

January Clean-up Sale

A Continuation of the Feast of Bargains to Be Found at Andersons' January Clean-Up Sale!

Druggists Sundries, Leather Goods, Notions

Roger & Gallett's Perfume Extracts worth $1.00 per ounce for only 49c. In the following odors: White Heliotrope, Peau de Spagne and Bouquet of Love.

Leather Goods. One lot of Ladies' and Men's Bill Books and Card Cases at just half prices.

Jet Bandeaux worth 50c for only 29c.

Jet Barrettes worth 50c for only 39c.

All Fancy Combs at 20 per cent off.

All Toilet and Comb and Brush Sets and Comb and off.

Armour's 5c Glycerine Soap for 4c.

A Clean-Up Sale in Table Linens, Crashes, Embroideries, Laces and Nets

You cannot afford to miss these special prices for it is very seldom that the community is offered such vlaues as these and such an extensive array of bargains. Notice the reductions and then remember that the half is not told in this advertisement. The reductions are all genuine and the savings are generally large.

Table Linens reduced. $2.00 values for $1.69. $1.50 values for $1.33. $1.00 values for 92c. 75c values for 66c. 65c values for 56c. 50c bleached for 44c. 25c Red Damask for 19c.

Napkins $3.75 values for only $2.89. All other Napkins less 10 per cent.

Cotton Crash Bleached at .... 3c per yd
Linen Crash Bleached at .... 8c per yd

Ladies' and Children's Underwear and Hosiery at Prices That Mean Much to You

In looking through our department of Underwear and Hosiery you will be agreeably surprised to find prices reduced so heavily, but there is method in our madness. We have quite a bit of stock here which we wish to close out and we are anxious to do it at once. The greater the reductions the sooner the goods move. We've put prices on many lots here that will make them walk right out. Notice the reductions and then come and see the goods.

Ladies Underwear

Black Tights worth $1.00 for 89c. $1.50 values $1.29
Heavy Fleeced Pants and Vests worth 50c for..38c
Heavy Fleeced Vests size 4 only, worth 50c for..25c

Children's Underwear

Gray Wool Union Suits worth $1.00 for 77c
Black Tights worth 75c for 66c. 50c values ...39c
White and Gray Wool Pants and Vests worth from 25c to 75c, according to size at one fifth off.

Gray Fleeced Pants and Vests worth 25c in sizes 22 to 30 for 19c. The same in size 20 for 12½c. Size 18 for 10c

Wool Pants and Vests broken lots at only 19c each

Ladies' Hosiery

Wool and Fleeced reduced as follows: 50c values for 42c. 35c values for 29c. 25c values for 21c

Children's Hosiery

25c Heavy Hose for 19c. This is a fine special. Do not miss it.

15c Heavy Hose for 11c
10c Hose in sizes 7½, 8 and 8½ for only 7½c

WOOL AND FLEECED HOSE REDUCED

35c Wool Hose for 29c
25c Wool and Fleece for............ 21c
15c Fleeced for............ 12c
Ladies' 50c Pin-On Supporters for 25c
Ladies' Pad Supporters for only 19c

A Clean-up in Ladies' Gloves

In this department we have considerable stock that we wish to close out at once and we have made the reductions sharp in order to accomplish our end. Those who come early will save money by taking advantage of the following.

$1.50 Light Kid Gloves some soiled for only ..89c
$1.00 Light Kid Gloves, some soiled for only ...69c
$2.50 Heavy Kid Gloves in tan and black, 8 button length for $1.39
$2.00 Heavy Kid Gloves in Tan and Black, 8 button length for $1.09
50c Cashmere Gloves for 39c
50c White Golf Gloves for 23c
25c White Golf Glove for 14c

Specials in Umbrellas and Leather Goods and Druggists' Sundries.

In these lines you won't have to go far to find that you have struck a sale that is a sale. You can tell at a glance that our prices are lower in many instances than you have ever seen before. Read and come to the big January Clean-Up Sale.

Umbrellas worth up to $3.50 for only $1.69
Umbrellas worth up to $5.00 for only $3.09
Umbrellas worth up to $1.50 for only 98
Armour's Talcum Powder worth 15c for 11c
Anbro Cream the 25c size for 21c; 10c size for 8c
Ayer's Hair Vigor, Seven Southerland Sisters Hair Grower and Cokes' Dandruff Cure, choice for 69c
Sanitol Mouth Wash 50c for 23c; 25c size for...15c

A General Clean-up in the House Furnishings

In this department we have made special prices on scores of different useful household articles. It would take almost this whole paper to tell all the news and give it justice. But you can see more in five minutes than you could read in an hour and we urge upon you to be sure and attend this sale and come as early as you can. Here are only a few of the many specials that we have in this department.

Star and Lenox Soap 10 bars for 25c if purchased with 6 boxes of our Ashland Matches for 25c. No phone orders taken.

Dutch Cleanser .... 8c can
P. & G. Naptha, 6 for............ 19c
Iron Glue 2 for 7c
Machine Oil 3c
Liquid Veneer for 21c. 50c size for 43c
Razor Edge, 10c for 2c
Shoe Blacking, 10c for............ 2c
Lunch Boxes, 10c for............ 5c
Lime Nest Eggs .... 1c each
Coal Hods, 35c for 25c
Split Baskets ½ bushel size for 1c

Pictures cheap. One table of Pictures worth up to 50c for 25c. Another table full of values worth up to $1.00 for 49c

All Cut Glass at a reduction of 10 per cent.

Plate Sale Dinner size worth $2.50 dozen 15c each
Tea size worth $1.50 dozen for .... 10c each
Sugars and Creams, real china with German decorations, 50c kind for 29c
Japanese Cups and Saucers, real egg shell china $1.00 values for 49c

Dinner Ware at half price. All the patterns that we are discontinuing go in this sale at half price. Don't miss this chance.

Toilet Ware, 12 piece toilet sets with jar, at...$4.49

A Clean-up Sale in the Clothing Dept. That Means Money to You

Here is the place that you will notice the reductions and you will also note that they are extremely heavy. Not the little two and three cent kind but the kind that saves you dollars. The chance is yours. Don't miss it.

Men's Suits and Overcoats

$27.50 values for only............ $22.98
$25.00 values for only $20.98
$22.50 values for only............ $17.98
$20.00 values for only............ $15.98
$18.00 values for only $14.98
$15.00 values for only............ $12.98
$12.50 Overcoats for $9.98
$10.00 Overcoats for $7.98
$18.00 Overcoats for $5.98
$5.00 Overcoats for $3.98

Men's Suits, Broken Lots
Great Reductions

$12.50 values for $9.48
$10.00 values for $7.48
$8.00 values for $5.48
$6.00 values for $4.48
$5.00 values for $3.98

Men's Cravenettes Reduced

$22.50 values for $19.98
$20.00 values for $17.98
$18.00 values for $15.98
$15.00 values for $12.98
$12.50 values for $10.48

Men's Pants Reduced

$6.00 values for $4.98
$5.00 values for $3.98
$4.00 values for $3.28
$3.50 values for $2.78
$3.00 values for $2.48
$2.00 values for $1.58
$1.50 values for $1.28

One Lot of Boys' Suits With Straight Knee Pants

Worth up to $5.00 for only $1.98

Boys' Suits With Knickerbocker Pants

$10.00 values for $7.98
$8.50 values for $6.98
$7.50 values for $5.98
$6.50 values for $5.48
$5.00 values for $4.28

Boys' Overcoats
AGES 9 TO 18 YEARS

$8.00 values for $5.48
$7.00 values for $4.98
$5.00 values for $3.28
$3.00 values for $2.28

Besides the above we have endless Specials in Men's Shirts, Underwear, Half Hose, Outing Night Shirts, Fancy Vests, Hats, Suit Cases, etc., etc.

Scores of Specials in the Shoe D partment

Here is where you will find the bargain gathering extremely profitable for nowhere in the big store will you find bargains better than here. Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in various good styles at clean-up prices. Come and see.

Ladies' Shoe Bargains

Over 700 Pairs of Ladies' Shoes, the latest and best styles thrown into this sale to be cleaned out at 'way below regular price.

One lot of $3.50 values for $2.34
Another lot of $4.00 values for $3.48
While still another lot of $3.50 values goes at $2.48

They're all good styles too and many have never before been offered at even close to these prices.

The Men's and Boys' Shoes are reduced in about the same proportion, some instances more, some less, but all are good bargains.

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Trinity Revival Growing In Power

Trinity church had two large congregations Sunday. Many heard A. L. Vickers, the evangelistic singer for the first time. Sunday morning he sang the story, "The Prodigal Son." It made a lasting impression on the audience. Sunday evening it was necessary to raise the curtains and use the Sunday school room to accommodate the large audience. Mr. Vickers and Mrs. Henry sang beautiful solos Sunday night. The large audience under the leadership of Mr. Vickers enjoyed singing the gospel songs.

There were four additions to the church Sunday and seven asked for the prayers of the church Sunday night. The meetings have progressed rapidly, regardless of the unfavorable weather. The church and Sunday school are planning a vigorous campaign for souls this week. If you do not worship at some other church we cordially invite you to attend Trinity and aid us in this vigorous campaign for souls.

Rev. Hartinger took for his text part of the 22nd verse of the 27th chapter of St. Matthew: "Pilate saith unto them, what shall I do then with Jesus which is called Christ?" Rev. Hartinger has been preaching excellent sermons but many consider this his best sermon since the meetings commenced. His theme was "A Most Important Question."

This question is one of the most important questions any man ever asked or answered, for if you do the right thing with Jesus you will get everything that is worth having for time and eternity; and if you do the wrong thing with Jesus you will lose everything worth having for time and eternity. We will now call your attention to some things that depend on what we do with Jesus.

Our acceptance before God depends on what we do with Him. If you accept Jesus Christ, God will accept you and if you reject him, God will reject you. Our acceptance before God does not depend on the good work we perform. If it did we would have to be perfect. Our acceptance does not depend on the character we have built. If it did we would have to be absolutely holy. Our acceptance depends upon our acceptance of Jesus.

Our finding place of conscience depends entirely upon what we do with Jesus. It can be obtained in no other way. Martin Luther tried to obtain peace of conscience in other ways and he failed. "Therefore being justified by faith we have place with God through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Deep and abiding joy depends on what we do with Jesus. A man can never get gay, through accumulation of wealth, or indulgence in the world's pleasures or seeking worldly honors. The most wretched can find joy in Jesus.

Eternal life depends entirely upon what we do with Jesus. He that hath the son hath life and he that hath not the son hath not life. The Book teaches thte moment you have Christ you have eternal life.

What we must do with Jesus. Every one present will have to accept or reject Jesus tonight. Pilate tried his best to avoid the responsibility of disposing of Jesus, but failed in his purpose. There are just two parties in the world today. One has accepted Christ and the other has rejected him. You belong to one or the other.

You must let him in your heart or shut him out. Jesus is knocking at your heart and you will either say come in Lord or stay out Jesus.

Who is this Jesus with whom we have to deal. Voltaire said that the Christianity of Jesus could never survive the 19th century. Carlyle seeing an image of the crucifiction said: "Ah, poor fellow; your part is played everywhere the superstition of Christ. Has the prophecy of these men been fulfilled? You know that it has not. Jesus Christ is being lived in the lives of more people today than ever before. "God has made this same Jesus whom ye have crucified both Lord and Christ. If you reject Christ you are rejecting your divinely anointed king. You are guilty of high treason against Heaven's King."

The crisis. There were two kinds of voices speaking to Pilate and the same voices are speaking to you tonight. One is the higher voice, the heavenly voice, the voice of common decency. Everything that was noble, true and just said release Him. On the other hand, the lower voice, the infernal voice, the voice of cowardice, of avarice, of low political policy said crucify him. What are you going to listen to? May God help you to decide right.

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MAJESTIC ACTOR WAS A BRIDE

Patrons of the Majestic theater who applauded the act of Raymond and Scranton sisters the last half of last week, will be interested to know that the pretty brunette, Miss Florence Scranton, was a bride of only a few days, having been united in marriage in Zanesville last Wednesday. She was playing the town at the Morris house when her sweetheart, also a theatrical man, proposed that they marry, and this propositon was accepted by Miss Scranton, despite the fact that she had to separate from her husband the following day and proceeded to Portsmouth.

They will not see each other again until in February when they are expected to double team it for the rest of their days.

To Elect Next Thursday

The recently elected officers of Louisa lodge, auxiliary to the Harugari, will take place Thursday evening at their hall in the Horr building, corner Gallia and Gay streets. The installation ceremonies will be followed by a spread.

Rubbers at Lehman's.

Mr. Musser Busy.

Former City Auditor Filmore Musser, after spending a few days with his successor, William Gableman, has now taken up the work of assisting David Edwards, the new city treasurer in familiarizing himself with the duties of his office.

JUDGE IS LATE, ATTORNEYS GET MAD

Judge A. Z. Blair was an hour late in reaching the court house Monday morning, notwithstanding he had given notice that court would convene at 9 a. m.

Court Bailiff Baker had notified numerous attorneys and more than a dozen of them were on hand and many were "hot under the collar." At 10 o'clock Judge Blair arrived, but found the room empty save for the bailiff and reporters. Judge Blair stated that he had started from home in ample time to reach the court house at 9 a. m., but was delayed en route.

A Financial Report Is Read To Church

On Sunday, January 9, the congregation of the First Christian church listened to the reading of the financial reports from the treasurer of the Bible school and treasurer of the general church funds. The Bible school treasurer's report showed the amount received through that channel for 1909, was $2275.93. And through the general church treasury, the amount received was $4761.55; making a total for the year of 1909 of $7037.48. This is a splendid showing for this congregation, as there are less than 400 members. Good friends have helped the membership to raise this splendid amount for the Lord's work. With all this the church still owes a very large mortgage debt. During January they are making a mighty effort to raise as large an amount as possible to apply on this debt, so as to reduce it to the lowest possible figure. The congregation will be most grateful to any friends outside the membership who will "lend a helping hand" at this time of great and imperative need.

Rev. Schweitzer Preached.

Rev. Chas. Schweitzer of Pomeroy, preached at the German M. E. church Sunday morning and evening and will continue preaching there every evening this week.

PREACHES TO THE FIREMEN

Well attended religious services were held Sunday afternoon at the local engine houses by Rev. E. J. Meacham, of the Christian church. At 2 o'clock Rev. Meacham preached to the laddies and a large audience of friends at the East End house. The male quartette of the Christian church assisted the minister. At 3:30 the party adjourned to the Seventh street engine house where an equally interesting meeting was held. Rev. Meacham states that the men were very attentive and made up a very attentive audience.

Rev. Meacham will leave Monday evening for Athens, Ohio, where he is to assist Rev. W. H. Boden, of the First Christian church of that place, in a series of protracted meetings.

The many friends of Mrs. George Brown, of Findlay street, will be pained to learn that she is seriously ill.

S.S.S. NATURE'S CURE FOR RHEUMATISM

In a disease so painful as Rheumatism, medicines containing opiates and nerve-quieting drugs are often used. Such treatment is dangerous not only because it frequently causes the sufferer to become addicted to the drug habit, but medicines of this nature are always injurious to the system. Rheumatism is a disease of the blood, and its cure depends entirely upon a thorough purification of the circulation. As long as the blood remains saturated with uric acid, an inflammatory condition of the nerves, muscles and tendons of the body will exist, and the pains, aches, soreness, and the feverish flesh of Rheumatism will continue. The one safe and sure cure for Rheumatism is S.S.S. It is nature's remedy for this disease, made entirely of the healing, cleansing juices and extracts of roots, herbs and barks from the natural forests. S. S. S. does not contain anything that is in the slightest way injurious to the system. It is absolutely and purely vegetable, and free from opiates or sedatives of any kind. S.S.S. cures Rheumatism by removing the uric acid from the circulation, it makes the blood pure, rich and healthy so that instead of depositing sharp, uratic impurities into the muscles, nerves, joints and bones, it nourishes every portion of the body with natural, healthful properties. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write and request it.

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What Miscegenation is Doing to Southern White Folks

The crossing of black and white blood is becoming a distinct menace to the white race of the South—the purest Anglo-Saxon in this country. The people of Louisiana have been the first to see the danger and to fight it. Attempts to make stringent laws preventing this depraved miscegenation have partially failed because of obstacles raised in unexpected quarters. Highly respected men—even men who make the laws—have tried to block the needed legislation (perhaps their domestic affairs were being upset). But Louisiana will not be stopped and other States must join in the fight. The whole story is told by Robert Wickliffe Woolley, a Southern man himself, in PEARSON'S MAGAZINE for January. The story explains the conditions which aroused Louisiana. It relates the details of that State's brave fight and how it was partly balked. It shows the urgent need of new laws, if the white race is not to be mongrelized not only in Louisiana but elsewhere, for the peril spreads all over the "solid South." It is the most important story to real Southerners that has been printed.

What it will mean to the average man's pocketbook if the law dissolving the Standard Oil Company is applied to other trusts is explained in the same issue. Also the story of our wasteful consul plan which costs millions in this country while Europe does the thing better for nothing. Another article explains the methods of instalment furniture sellers. Judge Gaynor, the new Mayor of New York, tells why he was libeled and what he will do to the libelers. Three noted alienists explain the improper treatment of our insane in State Asylums, and there are seven corking good short fiction stories.

Pearson's Magazine for January

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MAY INDICT MRS. FORD ON ANOTHER CHARGE

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 10.—The trial of Elgar Street Cooke before Squire Myers on the charge of receiving money known to have been stolen was continued until Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The continuance was granted on application of the state, which was represented by Assistant County Prosecutor John Weinig, and over the protest of Attorney Thomas H. Darby, representing Cooke, who declared the state was ready and had its witnesses in readiness.

Attorney Darby demanded an immediate hearing upon the charges, stating that his client is a non-resident of the city and that he will soon return to his home in Chicago and the continuance would put him to great inconvenience. Squire Myers, however, stated that it was his invariable rule to grant either side one continuance, and if Mr. Darby asks for a continuance next Friday he will grant it. The court ordered that the former $1000 bond should continue, and Cooke and Attorney Darby left the court room.

As they stepped outside the court room County Detective George Ryan stepped up to Cooke and served him with a summons to appear before the grand jury Tuesday morning. This new move upon the part of the county prosecutor is considered a most peculiar one. When asked what he wanted Cooke for Prosecutor Hunt said that he could not state at present. However, the fact that Cooke was summoned to appear before the grand jury was considered strange.

Prosecutor Hunt intimated a few days ago that he intended to have the charges against Cooke investigated by the grand jury Tuesday, and it has been supposed that Warner will be called as the witness against him before the grand jury to testify to the $900 it is alleged that he gave Cooke about October 1 last. If Cooke himself is placed on the stand before the grand jury and asked to testify regarding this alleged transaction it will give him an immunity bath, and he would not be placed on trial under the decree if indicted.

On the other hand, it is tipped that an effort is to be made by Prosecutor Hunt to secure another indictment against Mrs. Ford upon testimony to be presented by Cooke, but as to the purpose of calling him before the grand jury no information whatever will be vouchsafed by the Prosecutor's office.

Another report yesterday was that an effort is to be made by Prosecutor Hunt to reach the mysterious officials "higher up" through testimony that Cooke may be able and willing to give.

Work 24 Hours a Day.

The busiest little things ever made are Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar coated globule of health that changes weakness into strength, languor into energy, brain fag into mental power; curing Constipation, Headache, Chills, Dyspepsia, Malaria. 25c at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

N. & W. ENGINEERS AGAIN ELECT A. M. COUSINS

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 10—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of the N. & W. system elected officers Saturday. Norfolk captured the ... Mr. A. Cousins, of Norfolk, was reelected general chairman and Mr. J. L. Healey, of Norfolk, general secretary.

This will be the thirteenth year Mr. Cousins has held the position of general chairman of the ... of the Norfolk & Western system.

... that he has held the position so long shows that he is a ... able official and the ... are not soon to get rid of ... him.

Mrs. R. Sheets An Applicant

Mrs. Rody Sheets was among ... for relief at the city ... Saturday. Chief Davidson ... that the money her ... recently spent in buying ... of whiskey and which ... into serious trouble, causing ... scrape at the ... would have furnished ... enough potatoes to ... through the winter season ... supposed to be at Huntington ... in search of work.

Two Great Sermons At Bigelow Church

Rev. Dr. Eason preached two powerful sermons at Bigelow Sunday. The text Sunday night was Jer. 8:22: "Is there no balm in Gilead? Is there no physician there? Why, then, is not the health of the daughter of my people recovered?"

The children of Israel are here represented as having a disease which a well known balm of Gilead would cure, if properly administered by a competent physician. The prophet then inquires "why is not the health of my people recovered?" The reason was apparent—they would not apply to the physician, nor use the remedy. The whole was figurative and referred to their spiritual state.

A disease—a physician, a remedy, a cure. First the disease: "Whenever a living organization is disordered and is disturbed in the natural exercise of its natural functions, the state of that organization is properly expressed by the word 'disease'"—it is diseased.

The normal constitution of man is disordered in the natural exercise of its functions by sin. Sin produces spiritual disease. Man is spiritually diseased the disease is hereditary. Radically speaking, it is not contagious nor infectious, though in some senses it is both. But it is truthfully a hereditary disease, descending from parent to child. It is universal. It is not endemic, peculiar to the people of one country; it is not epidemic, affecting great numbers; it is more. It is a pandemic, affecting all people of all races and classes from Adam to now, and not a single exception can be found. Read history. It is but a record of men's vices, the stage upon which all men have played in the drama of human life and left the footprints of sin as their memorials. Read the laws of all ages. They are but human statutes to restrain and suppress universal iniquity. The universality of law is evidence of the universality of sin. Born in hell, it rushed to earth and spread its wings over all climes, oriental and occidental, from pole to pole, pestilence from sable plumes, till the whole earth is sick. Man's disease being one of nature and constitution, he cannot be cured without a change of both nature and constitution. He "must be born again." We need to return in so far as we have departed from it, to that grand old doctrine announced by Jesus: "Ye must be born again."

The Physician.—He is infinite in knowledge. He has brought his vast knowledge into exercise in the scheme of redemption. He may be secured wherever the disease exists. Jesus said: "Go tell John the poor have the gospel preached to them." Your humble home, your plain garb, your scant fare, your hard bed, do not deprive you of the services of this Physician. If I had the voice of an archangel and could be heard to the ends of the earth, I'd send my voice rushing and breaking with joy into every poor man's home in the land. "The poor have the gospel preached to them."

The remedy.—It was instituted by God. It is not of earthly origin, not the result of human learning, neither the word of human reason, nor the triumph of human philosophy. It is the result of divine wisdom, the transcript of God's counsels, the embodied duplicate of God's perfections, the masterpiece of His mind, the child of heaven. It has power sufficient to upheave the strongest ramparts of iniquity, destroy the power of sin and pour a stream of cleansing grace into the weakest parts of character.

Sin sundered the chord of love, the centripital force which bound man to God, his vital center, and flung him traveling out from God into immeasurable darkness. Disabled and away from every source of light, he wandered in derangement through the interminable fields and leagues of night—lost, ungoverned and miserable. This remedy readjusts man's distracted relations to universal being, fastens again the chord of love, cemented by the blood of Christ, and brings the wandering orb rolling back in reclaimed glory to its orbit.

The cure is radical because the remedy strikes at the root of the disease and removes the cause. It is not a mere palliative, it is nothing to do with symptoms or effects, but beyond the intellect and sensibilities, right at sin, lodged in the nature; and drags its struggling and howling out of God's temple and flings it in hell.

The skill of the physician and the power of the remedy are equal to the disease.

Are you cured? If not, why not?

COX PICKS A CANDIDATE

Cincinnati, Jan. 10.—George B. Cox, in an interview, favored Judge Orin Britt Brown, of Dayton, as the Republican nominee for governor of Ohio. Cox said Brown could carry all southern Ohio.

CAPUDINE for "THAT HEADACHE."

Out last night? Headache and nervous this morning? Hicks' Capudine just the thing to fit you for business. Clears the head—braces the nerves. Try it. At drug stores.

ISHAM CHASES WIFE'S FATHER FROM HOME

Harvey Isham's home on Sixth street near Gay was the scene of a family row Sunday morning which threatened to terminate in police court.

Isham was displeased with the general conduct of his father-in-law, John Gaddus and ordered him to vacate the premises. Gaddus did so but took up position upon the sidewalk with a brick in one hand and a knife in the other. He threatened to carve Isham into ribbons but the latter hurried to police headquarters for protection. He did not want Gaddus arrested but simply attended to. Chief Davidson informed Isham that police had other duties to perform besides acting as peacemakers but if he would prefer charges he would act promptly and bring in the old man. Isham then returned home hoping to get inside of his house without a further clash.

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A SUNDAY GUEST

J. W. Overstreet, who is employed with the Southern Express at Bluefield, was a guest at the J. L. Treuthart home, on West Seventh street, Sunday.

Cole & Crane Are Now Reaching Out

A charter was issued Saturday at ... of Cincinnati, and Jules O. Cole, of Charleston, to the Cole and Crane Land company, Huntington, with chief works in Logan county. The company is capitalized at $600,000, the entire amount being paid in, making it one of the most highly actually capitalized corporations in this end of the state. The incorporators are James O. Cole, of Peru, Ind., 2998 shares; Clinton Crane, of Cincinnati, O., 2998 shares; John E. Koilsaat, Charles H. Crane, of Cincinnati, and Jules O. Cole, of Huntington, one share each.

The charter grants the power to the company to hold 60,000 acres of land and covers the general development by mining, owning business, sawmills, railroads and other industrial enterprises. The charter fee and corporation license tax, amounting to $2022, was paid over to the secretary of state.

It is believed it has much to do with the proposed extension of the Guyan Valley railroad, 20 miles through the Boomers Creek country and where the holdings of the big lumber firm of Cole and Crane are very large.

PRACTICE NOTICE FOR BIGELOW M. E.

The children of Bigelow church and Sunday school are requested to be at the church on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons directly after dismissal of public school, in order that they may practice for their chorus which is to furnish music at a few of the revival meetings now being held at the church.

For wet weather shoes try Lehman's.

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$1.00 and $1.25 Cotton or Wool Underwear	68c

These for Women or Children, Union or Two Piece Suits.

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1 Lot Ladies' Woolen Hose, Black or Grey	15c pr
1 Lot All Fast Black Wool Hose worth 35c, for	22c
Heavy Fleeced Ribbed 25c Hose for children and Misses to go, 3 pair for 50c or	18c pr
Ladies' and Children's 12½c Hose, 3 pr. for	25c
The 15c and 18c Hose, all to go at	11c pr
25c Golf Gloves, pretty light colors	18c pr

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$5.00 Silk Skirts for	$3.98

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Children's $1.50 and $2.00 Fur Sets at	75c
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ABBOTT CUT A BIG SPLURGE

The publication in Saturday's papers of the hurry-up departure from the city of Harold C. Abbott, was the cause of much comment in the various circles in which Abbott had formed acquaintances.

Evidences accumulates that Abbott was a skinner from Skinnersville, and that almost from the day of his arrival in Portsmouth he was mixed up in some kind or other shady transaction. His favorite stunt however was the borrowing of small sums of money from new made friends and giving them checks to cover the amount. The checks invariably came back with the "no funds" stamp on them.

Abbott was a most prepossessing fellow and had a charming manner that made him friends readily. He claimed to be the son of an Episcopal rector over East and probably was for he read the Episcopal service in a beautiful manner down in All Saints church one Sunday. Upon his arrival here he had identified himself with that church and being rather pushing in his activities, and the son of a rector, he was invited to read the service one Sunday in the absence of Rector Herron. Abbott's church activities here came to a sudden end however for the rumors of his check transactions reached the church officials.

Another thing that has caused comment is that Abbott said he was a married man, yet he paid attention to a young lady here. One report is that his wife left him on account of his actions. It is said he engaged rooms for himself and wife at various places and then put off taking them under one pretext or another.

As to the ability of Abbott there is no question. All for whom he worked agree he is a man of exceptional ability.

11th Street Is In Bad Shape

Should the present weather continue any length of time there is a fair chance that East Eleventh street will have to be repaved. Especially is this true with that part used as a roadbed for the street cars. In many places the bricks are considerably higher than the rails and at a point opposite Clay street they are so high that they scrape the bottom of the motors and in one instance derailed the front trucks of a car. It is occasioned, it is thought, by the frost in the ground.

Street Car Was On Fire

Overheated seat warmers caused a fire on street car No. 212 as it was going east on Ninth street, Saturday evening. Passengers hastily vacated the car and the crew extinguished the blaze with snow. No damage.

Ill With Typhoid.

Miss Mary Burgheltzer is ill with typhoid fever at her home on West Fifth street.

Rev. Gray Talked To Woodmen Of World

Members of River City Camp, Woodmen of the World, and many ladies, attended a called meeting at Red Men's hall Sunday at 2 p. m. when Rev. A. Preston Gray, pastor of the Grandview Avenue Christian church, delivered an address taking as his subject "Dabbled Garments of Today." Robert Jones presided and introduced the speaker.

The exercises opened with a vocal selection "Nearer My God To Thee" by a sextette led by David D. Stoner, who also at the close sang "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Rev. Gray was at his best and made a splendid address one that had the attention of his hearers and which made an excellent impression.

His subject was taken from the biblical story of Joseph with his coat of many colors and the manner in which that 17 year old young man was treated by his brothers who were envious and jealous of him, and who did all but murder him because the father loved him more than he did his other children. Conditions, while changed to some extent, are practically the same now, as they were in the long ago and much the same feeling exists. "We are our brothers keeper," said the speaker, who is an optimist of the most pronounced type, and who lauded the Woodmen, who he said looked after their sick even much better than do the churches. He dwelt at length on the purposes of "Perfected Wood Craft" and gave some figures showing what the national organization had accomplished in the 20 years of its existence paying a high compliment to the work of the local branch. The members, said he, help to bear one another's burdens.

Monuments and statues erected to man let them be made of granite or brass, pass away in time, but acts like that of the good Samaritan live forever and it is such as count. The speaker closed with the recitation of an appropriate poem by Bob Burdette entitled "Keep A-goin'."

Banner Week Of Bigelow Revival

The current week is to be the banner week for the revival meetings at Bigelow Methodist church. Members of the church and of the several religious organizations connected with the church, such as the Sunday school, Epworth league and Missionary societies, pledged themselves Sunday to attend as many of the nightly meetings as it is in their power. Next Friday evening will be Sunday school meeting and it is the wish of the pastor and congregation that all members of the Sunday school make it their respective duties to attend. Mr. G. D. Selby's class of men and Mrs. Batey's class of women will compose a mixed chorus which will sing for the meeting.

Will Occupy Dunbar Home

Mrs. Elizabeth Dunbar has decided to give up the property at No. 80 West Second street. They [illegible] will be [illegible] by two prominent young [illegible] who will shortly embark upon the matrimonial sea. It is easy to guess who they are.

Is To Marry.

[illegible], a well known [illegible] is to marry [illegible] reports. The [illegible] is a young woman of this city.

Stops a Runaway.

[illegible] a popular barber [illegible] N. Patterson's shop, stopped [illegible] on [illegible] street Saturday.

Snow At Rarden.

[illegible] Smith [illegible] Saturday afternoon, [illegible] that [illegible] 15 inches [illegible].

The Campbell Co. Now Reaching Out

The C. E. Campbell Co., of Sixth and Gay streets, this city, received its incorporation papers from Columbus Monday morning. As a firm manufacturing washing compounds and a line of soaps they are incorporated with a capital stock of $10,000. The incorporators of the company are: C. E. Campbell, G. H. Watkins, E. G. Miller, N. M. Watkins and Louise Miller.

The factory at present [illegible] corner of Sixth and Gay streets has been found too small to accommodate the business and the firm has leased a building at 127 Market street into which it will move by January 15th. Directors of the company are yet to be elected.

The Campbell company's business has increased wonderfully during the past months and their goods are being distributed all over the country by their traveling salesmen, S. E. Evers, J. H. Henderson and N. A. Smith, [illegible] of the [illegible].

Straus to Buy A New Store

Mr. and Mrs. Si Straus are in Hamilton, O., this week. It is understood Mr. Straus will purchase a gents furnishing store in Hamilton and that one of his assistants here will manage it for him.

New Officers Of S. S. Association

The City Sunday School association held the regular bi-monthly meeting at 2 o'clock p. m. Sunday at the Central Presbyterian church.

An interesting program had been prepared. Music by the Sunday school orchestra was especially fine. After the business session and appointment of committees Rev. J. W. Atkinson of Manley M. E. church gave a very interesting address on "Christ, The Son of God and His Kingdom" as recorded in the Gospel of Mathews. He made the lesson very plain. The report from Mrs. Chabot, Cradle Roll Supt., showed most all schools in the city organized and doing good work among the children, "for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

The report of the nomination committee was then called and reported the following names as officers for the ensuing year the same hereby adopted.

J. H. Farmer, president.
Miss Anna Ross, secretary.
Frank Hauck, treasurer.
Mrs. Eliza Chabot, Cradle Roll superintendent.
Mrs. Chalmer Davis, Home department.
Rev. Meacham, Supt. Teacher Training.

The meeting then adjourned to meet March the 6th at the United Brethren church.

FIRST BAPTIST HAS A FINE SERVICE

Rev. Herman Lang, a strong scholarly speaker, conducted services at the First Baptist church Sunday morning and evening, making a very favorable impression on all who had heard him. He is a candidate for the pastorate and may be selected, as he seems popular with the church.

At the evening services Rev. Lang took as his text the passage of scripture wherein Jesus cleansed the leper and dwelt on it, bringing out many salient features applicable to the present everyday life. His word painting or "features," as the speaker termed them, were not only appropriate but beautiful and very interesting.

"Few people have," he said, "ever as much as seen lepers, such as existed in the time of Christ, and at that time it was quite a serious matter to even go near such. Christ, however, said he would cleanse them and he did, and he will cleanse sinners today as he did the leper in the olden time. There is no one," said the speaker, "but what have their troubles, and in such times it is somewhat consoling to have the sympathy of relatives and friends, yet sympathy can accomplish little. Christ, however, can, and does accomplish much and will, where all appeal to him. Comfort alone can come through Him who gave His life that we may live, and who is always ready to hear the burdens of the sinner."

The speaker made eloquent appeal to sinners to have themselves cleansed, and this included the moral leper and all who realize that they are not right with God.

The singing by the splendid choir at this church is good, and the membership in the church is taking on new life since moving into the new building, at once clean, bright and comfortable.

Spends Sunday At His Home

Lon Wilhelm, who is now employed in a Cincinnati shoe factory, came up Sunday to spend the day with his family, his wife having been quite sick. She was somewhat improved Monday and he returned to his work.

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LEET CO. GOT CONTRACT

The Leet Lumber Co. have been awarded the contract for the remodeling of the two rooms now occupied by Williams & Bagby, manufacturers of optical supplies. When completed the firm will have much additional space for their grinding plant, which will greatly facilitate matters. Work was commenced on the improvement Monday morning.

Farmer Is Ill.

Word reaches the city of the serious illness of Jos. Lovey, a well known Pond Creek farmer. He has become almost totally blind and fears are entertained for his recovery.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Editor Times—Please announce that I will be a candidate before the Republican primary election to be held May 19th 1910, for the office of representative from Scioto county to the General Assembly.
Signed
HARRY W. MILLER.

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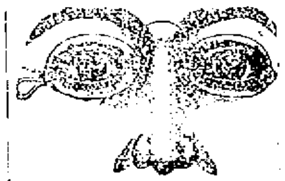

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SOCIETY

The Wednesday Evening Card club will hold this week's meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Evans.

Miss Nell Stanton will entertain the Matron and Maid club Tuesday afternoon.

A visitor to relatives here, Mr. Frank Kelley returned home to Charleston, W. Va., leaving Mrs. Kelley for a longer visit here.

The Scioto Bridge will meet Thursday afternoon with Miss Frances Williams.

Mr. John Davis, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned home to Oak Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Jordan will entertain the Wednesday Evening Bridge in this week's regular session.

Miss Linnie Heid and Miss Grace Folsom spent Sunday at home in the French Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clark and baby Howard, have returned from a visit to Mrs. Clark's parents and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Selby, and Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Selby.

Mrs. J. C. Scott will entertain the Saturday Sewing Circle in this week's regular session.

The Shakespeare club will meet Saturday evening at the home of Miss Editha Fulton.

Recent visitors here, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Clayton are visiting at Ironton and from there will return home to Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Jacob Lanerman of West Scioto, has as guests her mother and sister, Mrs. J. M. Austell and daughter of Piketon.

In celebration of the 40th birthday anniversary of Mr. Chas. Kelly of East Ninth street, a surprise party will take place Monday evening at his home. The guests will take tone of Grassman's cake with its 40 candles, will be a feature of the occasion.

Miss Clara Fuller of East Second street, has gone to Huntington, W. Va., where she will visit friends for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Handley returned from a visit to the South, during which time they visited New Orleans and other points of interest. Mr. Handley was compelled to cut his visit short in order to be able to attend the Shoe Shoe congress now in session.

Miss Emma Layton, of West Second street, has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. George Bechtel of Cincinnati.

Misses Margaret and Fannie O'Connor of East Eleventh street, have returned from a visit to Mrs. A. McAdams at Evanston, near and Mrs. E. M. O'Connor at Hartwell.

The C. B. A. will hold a business meeting at the Holy Redeemer hall at seven o'clock this evening for election of officers.

Miss S. D. Cronkhaum returned home to Marion after spending the holidays with friends in Portsmouth and Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Evans of Marietta Ferry, O., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Doriff, on West Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sanders of Harold, of Cincinnati, are visiting his mother, Mrs. [illegible] of East Front street and relatives in the city.

The Ladies No. 1 Second Presbyterian Women's Aid society will meet with a Kensington at the home of Miss Anna Apple, [illegible] street, Friday afternoon. Mrs. F. M. Patterson's home will be the scene of a Kensington, Tuesday afternoon under the auspices of Second Presbyterian Aid society's District No. 2. The home of Mrs. Emma Nedler of East Fourth, will be the host at a Kensington, Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of District No. 3 of Second Presbyterian Aid society. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. L. D. Allard will be hots at a meeting of District No. 4, of Second Presbyterian Aid society.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. J. W. Atkinson, Mrs. Ethel Heinisch, Miss Ada Hilton, Mrs. W. A. Mason, will entertain the Manly church Women's Aid society in social session. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Clifton Thompson who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. D. York, has gone home to Columbus, where her better-half, Captain Clifton Thompson, was recently transferred from Portland, Maine.

Bigelow W. F. M. S. will meet in regular business session Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fee's daughter, Miss Anna Louise Fee, has resumed her studies at Lake Erie College, at the end of the holiday vacation spent at home.

One of Miss Emma Bell's primaray pupils in the First Presbyterian Sunday school three year old, Beulice Hunt received a pretty book Sunday for being present, and on time every Sabbath during the past year. Another pupil, Master Frederick Pride, for saying the golden text every Sabbath for the past twenty months was also given a lovely book Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Carr will entertain the Country club Friday evening.

The Tuesday club will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Richard Alger.

The Home League club will elect officers Thursday afternoon at Woman's club parlors following the program and preceding a social hour over refreshments.

Mr. Mark Selby has gone to attend the Shoe Manufacturer's Convention at New York City, where Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Selby went at the week's end.

Miss Agnes Flannigan will entertain the T. C. C.'s in Wednesday evening's regular session.

Mrs. W. A. Hutchins will be host at this week's meeting of the Wednesday club.

The Art Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Fee of East Fourth.

On Friday evening the Knowlleen club will meet with Mrs. Roy Lynn of Washington street.

The Qui Vive club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Bertha Reinert.

The Clio club will elect officers Friday evening at the home of Mrs. John Lowry of Logan street.

Mrs. Harry Miller will be hostess at the next meeting of the Saturday Whist.

The Buckeye Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Purcell.

The New Century club will elect officers Friday afternoon at Woman's club parlors. The election will follow a program and preced the usual tea.

Miss Rowena Drew will entertain the Young Women's Sewing club Friday afternoon.

Mr. Howard Henry of this city and Mr. Lloyd Yingling of French Grant, have resumed their studies at Rose Polytechnic, Terre Heute, Ind.

The Haverhill Grange met in delightful session at the home of Mrs. Mary Yingling of the French Grant. Refreshments were served during the social hour following business.

Little Juliet Davis, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Davis, of Tokio, Japan, entertained with a Japanese tea at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rardin, last Saturday afternoon, for the benefit of the treasury of the Bigelow Home Guards and Mothers Jewels, twelve guards, fifteen jewels and seven mothers being present on the novel occasion. Little Misses Alta Eason and Violet Cunningham in Japanese Kimona toilets served as door-keepers for the bright and pretty little invalid hostess, who also was attired in a genuine coat and bloomer Jap costume and who thoroughly enjoyed her Japanese party. A part of the afternoon's pleasure was Mrs. G. L. Davis' entertainment of the children, with Japanese curios, on a long table in the library. The refreshments served, in true Jap fashion—were ice cream, peanut cookies, Japanese cakes and bonbons and a Japanese drink called Snow of Fugi. The picture presented by the merry group of youngsters sitting on cushions on the floor to partake of the repast, was indeed beautiful. During the business session little Violet Cunningham, by the payment of $1.00 honored her baby brother, Richard Henry, with life membership in the Jewels. The money collected at the door, as admission fee, will be used in subscribing for "Children's Home Missions" for the children who were present at the meeting one of the most enjoyable sessions in the history of the organization.

Mrs. John Sowers will go to Cincinnati to be with her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Sowers Wheeler, at Dr. Holmes' hospital the patient not being so well at last account.

Miss Gertrude Cook and Mr. John Snedecor will be married on Wednesday evening, according to news given the Times.

Messrs George M. Appel, John G. Dillon, William M. Pursell will be in charge of the Elks' card party Thursday evening.

Rev. Frochock, lay reader of Columbus, read one of Dean Hodges sermons, with fine effect Sunday morning at All Saints Episcopal church—the rector, Rev. J. D. Herron, being in Cincinnati, pending his call to be dean of the Cathedal, located in the Queen City, an honor to be coveted were covetetousness not wrong.

Mrs. Charles Robbins, No. 511 Highland avenue, will be host at Thursday afternoon's meeting of First Baptist Woman's Aid society.

The Gibbons Literary and Social will meet Thursday, Jan. 13. A mock trial "The Great Libel case will be presented by twenty male members of the club. The character cast follows:

Hon. Wm. Evarts Marshall, the judge—Christian Wagner.

Col. Resa Bird Planter, the plaintiff—Daniel Flannigan.

James D. Newman, the defendant—Geo. C. Lauter.

Joseph Choake, the plaintiff attorney—Aloysius Sommer.

David Gunn, witness for plaintiff—Chas. Forest.

Abe Howlitmuner, the defendant's attorney—Lawrence Wagner.

Prof. Locrates Rawbones, witness for defendant—Edward Kerns.

James Thickskull, rejected juryman—Chas. Forest.

Clerk of Court—Thomas Montovan.

Jury.

Adonis Evergreen — Louis Kempf.

Richard Henpecked—James L. Starling, Jr.

Dusty Bumber — Cornelius Sommer.

Hans Blotworst—Ralph Sheffer.

Hiram Haysseed—Bernard Sommer.

Chuck Conners—Oscar Mantel.

George Washington (colored) —Ralph Brenner.

John L. Fitzcorbett—George Haag.

William Marshmellow—Louis Vetter.

Daniel Moriarty—John McNamara.

Cornelius Van Astorgould—Carl Wolfe.

Theodore Roseuvelt—Cornelius Russell.

Dancing will follow. Daniel Flannigan and Aloysius Sommer will have charge of this meeting.

Mrs. Henry Sauter, who has been spending the past several weeks as the guest of her mother, Mrs. James McMahon, of East Ninth street, will leave for her home at Roanoke, Wednesday.

Frank Meyer of Columbus, who has been spending the past week with friends here and in Cincinnati, returned home today.

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2 YOUNG BRIDES SEEK A LAWYER

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Mrs. Ida Dryant, a bride, only 17 years of age, wanted to call to her and her sister the aid of the best attorney in the city. It seems that Mrs. Dryant ran away from her home, which was in Vanceburg, Ky., to get married. Recently her small sister followed in her foot steps and brought a 16 year old husband by the name of Dermar Blevings to this city to reside. Now the parents in Vanceburg wired both girls to return home Monday or suffer a severe penalty. They threaten the arrest of both husbands if the girls are not returned, but the girls on the other hand are perfectly satisfied with married life and are seeking the advice of the best lawyer in the city to get them out of their predicament and to protect them from the parents wrath.

Water Pipes Bursting

News of water pipes bursting came flowing into the offices of the Board of Public Service in great numbers all day Monday. In the home of Joe Frantz alone there were four breaks during Sunday night, and Joe was kept on the jump to keep the whole pipe line in his establishment from going bad. Elsewhere about the city, those who took no precautions to see to their pipes Sunday night suffered a like fate.

MECHANICS ARE SENT HOME

The large force of skilled mechanics who were brought here from Roanoke by the N. & W. Ry., recently, to install the automatic signal appliances, were ordered to their homes, Monday on account of the continued cold weather. They have found it impossible to work for several days and will return when the weather moderates sufficiently to permit of outside work.

J. J Rardin Buys Auto

J. J. Rardin, credit man at the Selby Shoe Co., has decided to enter the ranks of local autoists and has placed an order for a large touring car of the White make. It will be the only one of its kind ever seen in the city. He has disposed of his fine team of black horses to Distel Bros.

Miss Bertha Reider of East Tenth street, is quite ill with an attack of nervousness.

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At a special meeting of the board of education held Monday morning at the office of the Excelsior Shoe Co., the board closed negotiations for the purchase of the W. B. Anderson fine home on Gallia street, paying for the same $13,000, and the clerk was authorized to negotiate a loan for that amount.

This will give the board a frontage of 277 feet, and will make an ideal spot for the erection of the high school building.

It was further ordered that the clerk advertise for bids for the sale of the Horr and Anderson houses. It is hoped to sell these buildings and have them removed.

Every member of the board will leave by Tuesday night for Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis, where they will thoroughly inspect all the fine high school buildings. Member Haas left Sunday for Chicago, and hopes to meet the other members there by Wednesday. They will be gone for possibly ten days, and when they return hope to be able to definitely decide upon the kind of a building Portsmouth is to have. They are very desirous of awarding a contract so work can be begun upon the new building by the first of March, at the very latest.

Falls Sick On Parade

Mrs. Allen Porter, of 1424 Findlay street, has received news that her husband is lying seriously ill in a hospital on the canal zone, Panama. The young man who is in the United States marine service, sailed from Philadelphia about a month ago, his wife going there to see him off. Arriving at the canal the marines were sent to shore on dress parade and hardly had the line formed before Porter dropped unconscious. He was immediately carried to a hospital and has been confined there ever since with a high fever.

Ministers Call On Rev. Dillon

The regular weekly meeting of the Ministerial association was held Monday noon with all the local ministers present.

The members of the organization decided to attend in a body the reception at the home of Dr. J. W. Dillon, given in honor of the latter's golden wedding anniversary. Accordingly the ministers called at the Dillon home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon and presented Dr. Dillon and wife each with a new five-dollar gold piece. A fine potted plant was also given Dr. Dillon in honor of the anniversary.

GEORGIA WAS THUMPED

John Georgia, well known chef at Barney Donley's soft drink establishment on East Eleventh street, is not singing so loudly as in the days of yore, all because he came out second best in a scrap with Bitter Owens in front of Al Otes' restaurant Sunday morning. Georgia was pretty badly used up, but at that was around that soup kettle at Barney's Monday morning.

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MRS. M'GUIRE IS INJURED

Mrs. Nellie McGuire, wife of the veteran shoe cobbler, met with a painful accident, Sunday, when she slipped and fell on the icy sidewalk in front of Miller's drug store, corner of Ninth and North Waller streets. She was rendered unconscious by the fall and was carried into the drug store where restoratives were applied. It was found that she had severely twisted her left ankle and was taken home in a carriage. She but recently recovered from a severe sprain of the same ankle.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Musicians Did Not Install

Too much pleasure was the cause of the noninstallation of officers of the Musicians Union recently elected, at a meeting held Sunday afternoon for that very purpose. The members and the officers-elect were present, but some one of the members proposed a game of cards and soon every table was going. They played until the supper hour, and then one member proposed that the installation be postponed until the next regular meeting and this motion prevailed unanimously.

Arm Broken By Tumble

Samuel Heifeld, storekeeper at the Washington, fell on an icy walk near the hotel Monday noon and fractured his right arm. Dr. Flint Kline reduced the fracture.

Stockholders Are to Meet

The stockholders of the Lloyd Adams company, shoe manufacturers are to meet at seven o'clock Monday evening to elect directors for the ensuing year and appoint a man to take Wm. Burke's place Mr. Burke having lately severed his connections with the Lloyd-Adams Co.

Delayed By Cold Snap

The continued cold weather seriously interferred with the many improvements now going on at the Portsmouth Steel Co.'s plant. Especially is this true with the erection of the additional buildings. As soon as the weather moderates, however, a larger force than ever will be put on the job and the work rushed to a steady completion.

EX-RESIDENT IS NO MORE

Mrs. Catharine Hart, colored, who died in Cincinati, Thursday, following an illness of pneumonia, was brought to this city, Sunday, and the body conveyed to the Holly home, 116 East Thirteenth street. The funeral took place from Pleasant Green Baptist church, Monday afternoon, burial in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Hart was 65 years of age and resided in Portsmouth several years ago. She passed away at the home of her only child, Mrs. Millie Wilson.

THE MARKETS

Opening.

Wheat May $1.13¾; July $1.03⅝; Sept. 98¾.

Corn May 68¼; July 68⅛; Sept. 67⅝.

Close.

Oats May 47⅝; July 44⅞;

Wheat May $1.13⅞; July $1.03¼; Sept. 99⅝.

Corn May 68⅝; July 68¼; Sept. 68⅛; Jan. 64⅛.

Oats May 47¾; July 44⅝; Sept. 41⅛; Jan. 46.

Sleigh Party Was Upset

A party out for a "joy ride" in a natty little one horse sleigh came to grief at Fifth and Chillicothe streets Sunday evening. The sleigh turned turtle when opposite the esplanade. The occupants of the sleigh were tossed into the snow, but were picked up uninjured. The driver who appeared to be Harry Bybee was all "fussed up" over the incident, while his companion, aside from being distressed over getting her clothes wet thought it a huge joke.

THE CURSE OF CALOMEL

Everyone should know that Calomel is a dangerous drug if taken without the advice and direction of the Physician.

CALOMEL IS A CURSE

Although it is but the mild Chloride of Mercury, when it passes into the Bowels it is often changed into the poisonous Corrosive Sublimate, which ruins the teeth and gums and inflames the bowels, causing dysentery and Piles. So when you are not feeling "just Right", a little dizzy or weak, with a nervous headache and think you need Calomel go to the drug store and get a package of DR. EDWARDS' OLIVE TABLETS and see what they will do for you. They are the only laxative tablets that are designed to do what Calomel should do. [illegible] of Calomel. They are perfectly harmless. [illegible] have to be chewed or dissolved [illegible], are small, sugar coated and easy to take. They are not as bad as the teeth or leave a bad taste, and do their work perfectly.

At all druggists in neat 10c and 25c Packages.

The Olive Tablet Co., Portsmouth, Ohio.

DIAPEPSIN IS SPLENDID FOR YOUR STOMACH

The question as to how long you are going to continue a sufferer from Indigestion, Dyspepsia or out-of-order stomach is merely a matter of how soon you begin taking some Diapepsin.

If your Stomach is lacking in digestive power, why not help the stomach to do its work, not with drastic drugs, but a re-enforcement of digestive agents, such as are naturally at work in the stomach.

People with weak Stomachs should take a little Diapepsin occasionally, and there will be no more Indigestion, no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach; no heartburn, Sour risings, Gas on Stomach or Belching of undigested food, Headaches, Dizziness or Sick Stomach, and, besides, what you eat will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors. All these symptoms resulting from a sour, out-of-order stomach and dyspepsia are generally relieved five minutes after taking a little Diapepsin.

Go to your druggist and get a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin now, and you will always go to the table with a hearty appetite, and what you eat will taste good, because your stomach and intestines will be clean and fresh, and you will know there are not going to be any more bad nights and miserable days for you. They freshen you and make you feel like life is worth living.

NOW LIVES IN PORTSMOUTH

Mrs. Milton Reilley, who deserted her husband and three little children at New Boston a few days ago, is said to have taken employment in a local restaurant.

Relatives and friends are unable to account for the woman's flight from home, for it is said there was not the slightest disagreement between her and husband, who is employed at the Carlyle brick plant.

Engines Die On Tracks

Engine failures were the order Monday on the various railroads and most trains were running behind time.

The cold weather had the effect of freezing air pumps on many engines, thus placing them out of commission. Joe Knoppe's B. & O. S. W. engine froze up at Hamden, and he concluded to take no chances on any other, so that Will Rehlman, the mayor of the town, took his place and brought in the accommodation train to Portsmouth.

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Baldwin Pianos

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TO BE JOINED BY HIS WIFE

J. G. Sands, the new local agent of the B. & O. S. W. railway, will be joined here tonight by his wife, who is expected from Washington C. H. to begin a "house hunting" expedition. Mr. Sands has several properties in view and may decide to rent the Parsell property at 88 West Fourth street.

B. & O. ENGINE IS DISABLED

The B. & O. S. W. yard engine, No. 25, was temporarily put out of commission by an accident opposite Damarin's Mill Monday morning. The engine was pushing a cut of cars when the stand-pole broke. The car broke the relief valve on the engine and it is now undergoing repairs.

TO HELP THE UNEMPLOYED

Director of Public Safety James P. Brennan has established a temporary employment bureau in connection with his office at the city building.

So many able-bodied men have presented themselves at the office within the past few days that Mr. Brennan believed it would be a good plan to take the names of all unemployed and then be able to supply any persons desiring help. Accordingly he and Clerk William Baker are preparing a list, and any parties wishing to engage men for work will do well to communicate with those officials.

Judge Blair Makes Offer To Liberals

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 10.

Editor of Portsmouth Times, city.

Dear Sir:—I see my last Saturday's issue of your paper that you have mentioned the fact that I have been interviewing the business men of Portsmouth with regard to business conditions in the city, which I was doing in response to a request made outside of the city to know these conditions, and with a further view on the part of myself and others of ascertaining the exact conditions.

Without consulting me, you undertake to give the reason for my action. I feel that I should at lease have been consulted before you took the liberty of publishing my motives. I do not ordinarily pay any attention to items in newspapers, but I see that the item says that the Liberal element of the city desire to take some statistics in reference to the city's condition. I do not know to whom you refer. The only means I have of reaching them is through you. In order that the public may know, and that the investigation may be full and fair, I propose that they have a man represent them, and I and my friends will have a representative, and that they go fully into the conditions in the city, taking copies of record, and getting data and statistics from whatever reliable source available, not only as to the city of Portsmouth and Scioto county, but I would suggest that they also take a wet county, say our nearest wet neighbor, Ross county, and the conditions in Chillicothe; that each side be entitled to suggest any line of statistics it may desire, and that the representatives of each side go together and get the data, and when it has been fully secured that it be properly prepared and presented through the local press, so that our citizens may have a chance to compare the conditions of our own,—a dry county:—with our nearest wet neighbor, Ross county and the city of Chillicothe. Representatives of the so-termed Liberal interest can reach me through you, or may address me directly.

If local option is worth anything at all, it will bear investigation, and we are perfectly willing,—we are not only perfectly willing but are anxious to meet our wet friends and give the matter a full, fair, candid, unbiased investigation, and then publish this investigation so that every citizen in the county may know the results thereof.

Thanking you in advance for your valuable space, which I crave, I am, truly

A. Z. BLAIR.

SEAT SALE TO OPEN TUESDAY

The sale of seats for Mort H. Singer's big musical comedy "A Stubborn Cinderella," that plays the Grand Wednesday night, opens at the box office tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock and the management advises patrons to secure their seats early as it will avoid disappointment to those who will be unable to secure them later. The sale of seats will undoubtedly be as large as "The Three Twins" and the house will likely be sold out again so do not be caught napping again. The company number 60 people and claim to be the largest comic opera playing this section. Scenic equipment and stage accessories are all splendid and chorus one of the best ever seen here. The company come from Huntington and go from here to Dayton, Columbus at the Southern for two nights and that is sufficient guarantee of its good qualities. Plenty of good wholesome comedy and singing and music of superior qualities. Don't forget the sale tomorrow morning.

The Fight Is On

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Couden To Face The Jury

Cincinnati, Jan. 10.—Frank Couden, customs house cashier, who tipped off the Warriner shortage, was summoned Monday before the grand jury, which is investigating the accusation against Edgar S. Cooke, charged with receiving stolen money.

Cooke has publicly stated that he did not know Warriner was short.

In his statement concerning the Warriner shortage, Couden declared that he had received his first information about Warriner from Cooke.

Child Has Pneumonia.

Clarence, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Emmett of East Twelfth street, is sick with pneumonia.

Claims Was Poisoned

Terre Haute, Jan. 10.—W. H. Helman, who died today in his room at the Plaza hotel, was poisoned in Chicago yesterday by a woman with whom he came to Terre Haute last night, according to a statement of Coroner Leavitt. Helman left a letter for the chief of police charging the woman with his murder. He added she continued on her way to New Orleans.

Helman, in his written statement, says the woman came to him during the holidays and assisted him in his jewelry store. She left with five hundred dollars worth of jewelry. He followed her to Chicago where she promised to give the jewelry to him if he would return with her to Terre Haute. Helman, in his letter, said the woman had been engaged in the white slave traffic in Chicago and other cities.

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Afraid to use hair preparations? Don't know exactly what to do? Then why not consult your doctor? Isn't your hair worth it? Ask him if he endorses Ayer's Hair Vigor for falling hair.

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Long Black Coats made of all wool Kersey lined to waist, circular flounce skirt, trimmed in buttons around hips, sold as a bargain at $15.00. Last week we reduced them to $11.50. A few sizes left. They go at $10.00

BEAUTIFUL BLACK COATS

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A few Handsome Coats that we sold at $8.50, $10.00 and $12.50. Black and colors, reduced to .... $5.00 and $7.50

Women's one piece Dresses, all made of the best Serges Broadcloth and Jersey Cloth. Prices were $12.50, $15.00 and $18.00. All perfect models. All colors, at $7.50, $10, $12.50

A lot of good Furs to go at about half price.

SUITS! SUITS! Are disappearing off of our racks. The ones that are still meditating will get left. The prices are as low as they ever will get. Selection is better today than will be tomorrow. Every day they get less and less. Never in the suit history were such values to be had from such a lot of French Coney. Brown and Black sets, Muff and Satined Throw Scarfs, former prices $3.98. To clean them out we have cut the price per set $1.93

Satin lined Fur Throw Scarf made of French Cooney sold at $2.00 each. Sale price 75c

About 25 Beautiful Neck Scarfs shaped to fit neck, trimmed with animal heads. Former price $2.98. Clearance price only $1.69

Some rare pieces of Natural and Jap Mink Furs, also Foxes are being closed out at about half price.

The selections are few and we urge those that are not quite financially prepared to make their choice, have them altered by paying part down and secure what they want.

A general clearance of all Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves Fascinators, Warm Underskirts at July prices notwithstanding the cold weather the prices are warm. Children's Coats are going below cost and a fine stock to pick from.

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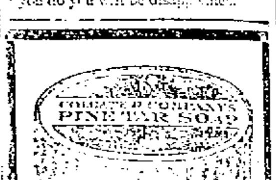

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